

# Stephens Asks Lawmakers to Drop Officials From Payroll

## \$550,000 CUT IN EXPENSES IS PROPOSED

### Stephens' Economy Board Wants Cabinet of Eleven Department Members to Act as Executive Body

### Board of Control to Go Under New Plan; Sheriffs to Lose \$50,000 in Fees; Many Lawyers to Be Out of Jobs

SACRAMENTO, March 18.—Five hundred and fifty thousand dollars initial saving in the biennial expenses of the state government can be effected "through the elimination of certain salaries and positions, the correlation of overlapping duties and the institution of simpler and more direct financial methods," said the report of Governor Stephens' government efficiency and economy commission, made public today.

The report outlined a plan for the creation of an executive body to be known as the governor's cabinet, consisting of eleven directors and heads of departments under whom would be concentrated the duties of eleven independent state administrative agencies. The cabinet and the governor would determine the general administrative policy and coordinate activities of the state government.

Members of the cabinet would include directors of accounts and expenditures and of receipts and supplies from the financial departments of the departments of trade and corporations, of agriculture, natural resources, labor and industry, and the chairman of the state boards of education, health and social service.

Other recommendations of the commission are:

That contingent funds of state institutions be deposited in the state treasury and withdrawn by appropriation of the legislature.

That state hospitals be paid from \$15 to \$20 a month.

That fees collected by various commissions and boards be turned into the state treasury and withdrawn according to budget or by special permission of the board of finance, and that funds so deposited be devoted solely to the use of the department depositing them.

That the department of institutions handle the transportation of insane and feeble minded instead of sheriffs, thus effecting a saving of \$50,000.

That state offices be centralized at Sacramento so far as efficient public service will permit.

That the present practice of providing minor statutory positions be discontinued and that those sections of law which provide for such salaries be repealed.

That the legislature, in authorizing bond issues should recognize the principle that the term of the bond should not exceed the probable life of the improvement.

The proposed plan would abolish the state board of control and place its duties in a board of finance. Positions of attorneys in the department of health, labor and industry, state harbor commissioners, mining bureau, market director and water commissions would be abolished. This legal work would be transferred to the attorney general, who would be provided with two additional deputies.

The retention of attorneys by quasi-judicial bodies and by departments requiring full time legal service was recommended. The commission also recommended continuance of the method of caring for police court prosecutions by specially appointed attorneys.

**ATTORNEYS TO BE LEFT ALONE**

Under the plan the building and loan, insurance and banking departments would be left to act independently.

The committee also recommended that the industrial accident commission, the immigration and housing commission and the industrial welfare board remain as they are now constituted. Members of these commissions, however, would form an advisory board to the attorney general, the department of labor in co-ordinating activities and eliminating duplication.

The University of California would remain independent from the department of education and the state superintendent of public instruction would continue as chief executive officer of the department of education. Direction of the state normal schools, the California Polytechnic school and the school for deaf and blind would be added to the department.

Continuance of local unpaid boards of trustees of educational institutions was recommended.

All of the state institutions would be placed under the director of the department of institutions.

The civil service commission would be maintained, but one member would be made an executive officer on salary and the other two would be under a per diem.

# Efficiency Report Sent Legislature

## Changes in Government Suggested

### Governor Asks For Advice of People

SACRAMENTO, March 20.—The legislature was urged to give its attention to the "suggested reorganization of the administrative structure of government into a number of departments, all under control of a committee to be known as the efficiency and economy commission."

Governor Stephens said the task of "completely reorganizing the structure of state government along the lines recommended by the commission is so huge that there is little hope that it can be accomplished in the remaining days of this session of the legislature."

**CHANGES DECLARED MOST IMPORTANT**

"Indeed the work is so important and the results which may follow such changes are so vast that the members of the legislature and the people of the state should have ample time for careful consideration and study," the governor's message added.

"So far as the people have given this subject thought I am convinced that they are not interested so much in the structure of government as they are in the immediate reduction of the cost of government, while maintaining the same high standards of efficiency. The plan of government is important mainly as it reflects itself in economy and in efficiency."

"I am firmly of the opinion that the legislature at this session should go as far as possible in the enactment of measures tending toward consolidation of certain commissions where it is certain that such consolidation will result in lessened efficiency, and will with equal certainty result in a lessening cost. To this end there will be submitted several bills, all drafted with a design to bring about economy, and it is my earnest hope that you will give my measures your earnest approval."

**COMMITTEE'S INQUIRY TO BE CONTINUED**

Governor Stephens said he would urge a continuance of the inquiry begun by the committee in an effort to evolve a definite plan of reorganization acceptable to the people.

"Such a labor, which in other states has consumed years, cannot be concluded before the probable time for adjournment of the present legislature," the governor said, "but the fruits of such labor will be of distinct advantage to the next legislature and also to the constitutional convention which it is proposed to call."

Governor Stephens said he was urging the legislature to give power to the governor "without more extended study and without opportunity to be heard."

By ALFRED G. ANDERSEN, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

# INVASION BY BOLSHIEVSKI TO BE REGISTED

## Germany Prepares Defensive Campaign to Offset the Menace of the Red Army; Poles Will Also Mobilize

**Virtually All of Ukraine Is Reported in Hands of the Soviet Forces; French Garrison Withdraws to Odessa**

COPENHAGEN, March 20.—Germany is bending every effort to resist the threatened Bolshevik invasion.

Following weeks of military preparation, a council of war has been called at Koblenz to draw up plans for the defense of Germany.

A despatch from Berlin reported today that War Minister Noske and General von Winterfeldt have gone to that city to confer with Field Marshal von Hindenburg, who is personally directing defense preparations on the eastern frontier.

The Polish parliament has decided to mobilize immediately the classes from 1896 to 1901 to oppose the Bolsheviks, a despatch from Warsaw announced today.

The general staff announced the Bolsheviks have been compelled to evacuate Pinsk.

LONDON, March 20.—Virtually all of the Ukraine is now in the hands of the Bolsheviks, according to reports received here today.

In heavy fighting at Nikoliev, northeast of Odessa, the Bolsheviks lost between 5000 and 8000 men, but forced the French garrison, after fighting, to withdraw to Odessa.

Mitau, an important city in Russian Courland, has been captured by the Bolsheviks, according to information received here today.

**GREEKS REPORT ON VICTORY OVER REDS**

SALONIKI, March 20.—The Greek victory at the northwest of Odessa, was won over a Bolshevik force of four times the strength of the Greek division engaged, according to a Greek headquarters statement issued here today.

The Greek troops realized an advance to the depth of a little more than twelve miles, capturing numerous prisoners and considerable quantities of arms and munitions.

The Bolshevik troops have not been able to reconstitute their line," the statement adds.

**BOLSHIEVSK FORCES DEFEATED BY ALLIES**

LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

LONDON, March 20.—Bolshevik forces defeated by the allies on the allied positions south of Archangel, it was announced in an official communique received here today.

"The Bolsheviks attacked Morjorskaya, 120 miles south of Archangel," said the communique, dated March 15. "They were repulsed, leaving five unwounded prisoners and a large number of wounded and captured arms. Many wounded and captured arms were found in their hands."

By ASSOCIATED PRESS.

# One in Nine Marriages End in Divorce Suit

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Approximately one out of every nine marriages in the United States is terminated by divorce, according to figures compiled by the bureau of the census and made public today.

Excluding South Carolina, where all laws permitting divorce were repealed in 1878, the three lowest divorce rates in 1916, for which year returns are now complete, are shown for the District of Columbia, North Carolina and New York, where the rates were 13.31 and 32 per 100,000, respectively. The highest rates were returned for Nevada, Montana and Oregon, which show 607, 323 and 225, respectively.

In all states except Maine, West Virginia, South Carolina, Alabama, Mississippi, North Dakota, South Dakota and Colorado the divorce rates were higher in 1916 than in 1906.

Desertion is shown by the figures to have been the cause for about 38 per cent of the divorces.

Records also showed that the marriage rate in 1916 was 1050 per 100,000, or nine times as great as the divorce rate of 112 per 100,000.

# NEUTRALS TO BE HEARD ON NATION LEAGUE

## Three Scandinavian Countries Will Present Identical Proposals and Ask for Admission; the Plan Is Favored

**Evasive Attitude of German Government Again Causes Interruption of Negotiations on the Polish Armistice**

BERLIN, March 20.—"Conscious of the consequences the German government has decided not to bow to a peace of violence and enslavement," says the Hamburger Fremdenblatt today.

**BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.**

PARIS, March 20.—Neutral countries of Europe, Asia and South America will be given opportunity today to express their views and present proposals to the League of Nations plan. Nearby neutrals have sent delegates, while more distant countries will be represented by ambassadors and ministers residing in Paris.

The meeting will be held at the Hotel de Ville, the American headquarters, and it is proposed to continue the session as long as necessary to complete all neutral proposals and prepare them for submission to the commission of the League of Nations.

Lord Robert Cecil of Great Britain will be chairman. The claims of neutrals will be heard directly by the international committee, Sweden, Denmark, Holland, Switzerland, Spain, Persia, Guatemala and most of the South American neutrals having some suggestions to make.

The League of Nations will present virtually identical proposals it is understood, these being in the main favorable to the league, and asking that neutrals be admitted to membership.

**NEGOTIATIONS AGAIN BROKEN AT POSEN**

Negotiations between the inter-allied commission and the German government's representatives at Posen have again been interrupted. It is said that this is the result of the evasive attitude of the German government. Despatches state that the German high command appears to be in open conflict with the inter-allied commission and will not undertake to reach an agreement between the Germans and Poles.

A decision in keeping with the situation is expected tomorrow.

President Wilson will act as chairman of the meeting of the league of nations commission which will be held Saturday when all proposed amendments and changes will be considered and the plan put into definite form.

Lord Robert Cecil and Thomas W. Gregory, former United States attorney general, are now here and are among those who have sought to reach precise resolutions to the League of Nations in such form that it will meet the approval of legal experts.

**WILSON PREPARES FOR SECOND CONFERENCE**

President Wilson spent this forenoon in work at the Paris "White House" in preparation for another conference of the league of nations commission tomorrow and Lloyd George.

The conference will take place at the Hotel de Ville.

**GENEVA, March 20.**—French troops have occupied Mannheim and Karlsruhe on the east bank of the Rhine, on account of Spartacan outbreaks there, the Vossische Zeitung of Berlin says.

# Federal Dragnet Put Out for I.W.W. 'Cat's Claw Club' Men As Greenwood Bomb Slayers

## U. S. Officials and Police Connect Reds With 'Mafia' Band; Photos of Men Involved in Anarchist Cases in Chicago Are Sent Out and Arrests Expected Soon

### 'SNAIL HUNTERS' BELIEVED TO BE PART OF GANG

Federal and police officials from Los Angeles to Seattle, working under the supervision of Postoffice Inspector S. H. Morse, assisted by Detectives William Kyle and Richard McSorley, today threw out a dragnet for every blackmail suspect on the coast, in a general roundup that, the federal officials expect, may net the men who Tuesday night bombed the home of George D. Greenwood, Oakland banker, at Eighteenth and Jackson streets, killing Mrs. Greenwood.

In the meantime Detective St. Clair Hodgkin, who handled the Charles T. Hutchinson case, and who has handled some of the largest cases in the history of the Oakland police department, today rose from his sick bed and has assumed charge of the local investigations, which center around the three mysterious suspects neighbors have told of having seen in the neighborhood on the day of the crime.

That the bombing of the banker's home is the work of the mysterious "Cat's Claw Club of California" gang, suspected of bombing the Hutchinson home, the home of Governor William D. Stephens and of threatening Senator Miriam Johnson and Mayor John L. Davis of Oakland is declared by the police today.

The three suspects, described by a number of people in the neighborhood, are now supposed to be two blackouts, watching for police while the third man, who planted the bomb, two of the men were seen together at all times where people in the neighborhood described them, apparently posing as snail hunters. The third man was seen alone, running from the neighborhood.

The police theory is that the two "snail hunters" may have been looking out for police while the third man, who planted the bomb, was making his escape. Detective Hodgkin is conducting a search for the trio.

**MAJOR DAVIS ARM HIMSELF; REFUSES GUARD.**

"I don't know what John L. Davis, in which he was ordered, about a year ago, to place \$5,000 in the Fremont park, on pain of death, assumed a new significance this morning," said a police official. "He himself and says that he 'will take care of himself,' refusing a police guard, but admits that he now believes the letters more than the work of cranks, as he just supposed."

"I thought they were crank letters and threw all but one away," said Davis. "That one I turned over to the police, but later when it was returned, I saw it was a bomb. It looked different now, so I am going 'hooked.' I'll take my chances—I can shoot and I've got away with it in Mexico."

**DANGEROUS ALIENS PUNISHED BY U. S. OFFICIALS.**

One clue which is believed to prove of inestimable value and be a possible solution to the Greenwood case, was developed today by Detective United States Marshal and Hutchinson out of a group of photographs of dangerous Italian anarchists and blackmailers seized in a raid on the "Gruppo Volontario" the Italian branch of the I. W. W., on Pacific street, San Francisco, which was followed by the arrest of Louis Parente and his sentence to ten years imprisonment by Judge Landis in the Chicago I. W. W. case.

Of the men in this group picture (captioned, but the rubber type was identical with that used in the C. C. C. of C. threatening letters to Stephens, Governor Stephens and Hutchinson out of Oakland. This is conclusive evidence of the connection of the "Gruppo Volontario" with the "Cat's Claw Club of California," the police believe.

**LETTERS WILL BE SENT OUT TO COUNTRY.**

Pictures of these men will be sent all over the country and orders given to take them into custody and an attempt will be made to identify them with the mysterious Italian "snail hunters" and connect them with the Greenwood case.

That some of the Sacramento I. W. W. connected recently were identified with the C. C. C. of C. was established this morning by Assistant United States Attorney T. H. Johnson in giving out the following letter from William Hood, convicted with Vetterli of the theft of dynamite from the Pacific Gas and Electric plant at Smart, Calif., and later sentenced to ten years by Federal Judge Frank H. Rudkin. This letter in full follows:

"Smart, Calif., March 24, 1915.

"Fellow Worker: Bob Russell sent in \$1 as a donation and wants it recorded in his book. Received the defense bill and mail. George Dicks (Vetterli) has left for Sacramento. Well, here's hoping that your dear Uncle allows you more sunshine and clean air for an indefinite period before calling on you to 'do your bit' in an iron and concrete apartment in the celebration of the centenary of the revolution (the house of correction, Chicago).

"Yours for the revolution and yours for the glorious day when the working man arises and throws his 'HELL HOUND, Cats Claw Club.'"

**MAN ADDRESSED NEVER IDENTIFIED.**

This letter was written to an unidentified member of the I. W. W. at Sacramento, who probably jumped his bail in Chicago and evaded serving a sentence in the charge there and has never been identified.

Every blackmail suspect on the coast will be rounded up by police and federal authorities and their movements traced for the past week. This work started today.

Records of the late Theodore Kytka, handwriting expert, who had in his laboratory samples of handwriting of every blackmail suspect on record on the coast, his name and his history, will be used, under the direction of Postoffice Inspector S. H. Morse, and the suspects will be held their movements traced and the chase narrowed down to any of those who may have been in or near Oakland.

**FEDERAL AUTHORITIES ACTIVE IN CASE.**

The plan for the blackmail dragnet today marked the active entrance of the government into the Greenwood mystery. In the belief that the dynamiting was perpetrated by the same gang that was responsible for the dynamiting of the Charles T. Hutchinson home across the street from the Greenwood residence at Eighteenth and Jackson streets, the federal authorities have collected all the clues in the former case and see in the present mystery a possibility of clearing up not only the Hutchinson and Greenwood cases but several others.

**MYSTERY STILL VEILS CHARACTER OF BOMB.**

Police theories still differ as to the exact nature of the bomb. Some bits of metal found, thin plate material, may have been responsible for the dynamiting of the Charles T. Hutchinson home across the street from the Greenwood residence at Eighteenth and Jackson streets, the federal authorities have collected all the clues in the former case and see in the present mystery a possibility of clearing up not only the Hutchinson and Greenwood cases but several others.

Police detectives say it was probably by an internal combustion device; others that some mechanical means was used.

The wire which the detectives said yesterday may have had a connection to the garden gate now is held to be only a piece of wire from the edge fence, displaced by the explosion.

Search is continuing for the mysterious stranger, supposedly a forerunner of the bomb.

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# Leak in Gas Pipe Fatal To Family

LOS ANGELES, March 20.—An entire family of four members was wiped out here early today when leaking gas pipes filled their home with gas while the inmates slept.

Eleven other persons who were in the house at the time of the explosion, which occurred in a serious condition.

The dead are: Saravia Reveles, his wife, Catharine, and their two boys, Domingo, aged 4, and Rufino, aged 6.

# SPARTACANS ARE TRYING TO START ANOTHER REVOLT

By ALFRED G. ANDERSEN, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

BERLIN, March 19, via London. March 20.—Another revolution, involving Germans, Russian Bolsheviks and Austrians, is being planned by the Spartacans, according to a newspaper report circulated here today. The movement is to spread to Vienna and other Austrian cities, it was said.

Russian Bolsheviks are to march to the German border to assist their fellow Reds in Germany.

Karl Kautsky, former foreign secretary, predicts that the revolution will break within two months. Martial law continues in force in Berlin.

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# 400 Americans to Go to Mexico City

CHICAGO, March 20.—Four hundred American business men and financiers are preparing practically every city and town in the Mississippi valley will leave within two weeks for Mexico for a trade trip at President Carranza's invitation. A special train will take the party to Mexico City and from there a trip to Tampico oil fields will be undertaken. A few days will be spent at Vera Cruz.

# BAD CURRENCY USED TO SPREAD PROPAGANDA

HELSINGFORS, March 19, via London. March 20.—The Bolshevik printing presses in Petrograd are turning out great quantities of currency for foreign use in spreading propaganda.

About 175,000,000 of forged currency notes have been sent from Russia into Germany.

Two Englishmen are said to be working at the international propaganda bureau in Petrograd.

# Mexican Employees Are Paid in 'Bonds'

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Word has been received through official channels of a decree issued by President Carranza of Mexico, on March 19, authorizing the government to pay Mexican employees in full and which employees should receive part pay in what are termed "bonds."

The action was taken to stabilize or systematize the payment of federal employees, many of whom have not been paid in full for years.

The personnel of the Supreme Court has been the only department receiving full pay. Henceforth, it is decreed, the salaries from the justices down to the clerks are to be paid in part.

# Japanese Alienist Gets Life Sentence

BALTIMORE, Md., March 20.—Dr. X. K. Ito, Japanese alienist, slayer of Dr. George B. Wolff, leprosy physician at the Sheppard-Pratt hospital, Baltimore county, on December 21 last, was this afternoon found guilty of murder in the first degree and sentenced to life imprisonment by the jury in the federal court. The case was heard by Judge J. Edgar Smith.

The woman, Alice Gray, 1931 San Pablo avenue, and Nellie Houghton, 245 Eighth street.

# Women Are Held to Answer Vice Charge

Two Oakland women arrested by officers Michael Conolly and Martin Fahey of the Oakland police department, St. Patrick's evening, were held for trial on bonds of \$2000 by Federal Judge M. T. Coolidge today on charges of violating the social evil proclamation. The women are Alice Gray, 1931 San Pablo avenue, and Nellie Houghton, 245 Eighth street.

# Missionary Trio Released by Villa

JUAREZ, Mexico, March 20.—A telegram was received here today from Bishop A. B. Call of the Mormon settlement at Colonia Buhlan stating that Bishop J. C. Bentley, head missionary, James T. Whetten, and Albert Tietjen, another Mormon, had been released by Francisco Villa's troops and had arrived at a logging camp sixty miles south of Colonia Buhlan and 150 miles below the border.

# \$200,000,000 Bonds for R. R. Proposed

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The War Finance Corporation is considering floating a large bond issue, probably of \$200,000,000, within a few weeks to provide funds for railroads and to meet any other demands on the corporation. The interest rate contemplated is 4 1/2 per cent.

# Germany Objects to Visiting Commissions

BERLIN, March 20. (By The Associated Press).—Because of the great number of military and civil offenses missions which have visited Germany since November, the German cabinet has decided, according to newspaper reports, that no person from an allied country will be permitted to travel in Germany without special permission from the armistice commission.

### Strike Settlement in Britain Appears Near

LONDON, March 20.—Although the industrial situation remains grave, there is some advance toward a settlement of the coal mine and railway disputes, said the Daily Express today. It is understood that the railways are ready to offer further concessions to the men in the way of wages and holidays.

### 4000 U. S. Soldiers Married to French

PARIS, March 20.—More than 4000 American soldiers have married French girls, it was revealed today by the records of the American consul.

### Belgium Recognizes Poles' Independence

BRUSSELS, March 20.—Belgium has recognized the independence of Poland.

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# PHOTOS USED AS EVIDENCE; DRAGNET OUT

# 6 SEE BOMB SUSPECTS ON DAY OF CRIME

# I.W.W. "CAT CLAW CLUB" IS BLAMED

(Aids to Beauty)

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blue, green, black and  
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## SEVEN SHIPS WITH TROOPS ARRIVE TODAY

NEW YORK, March 20.—Seven transports are due in New York today with a total of \$275 American soldiers.

The Louisville, from Brest, has 232 soldiers, including 700 sick or wounded, 41 nurses, 2 naval officers, 24 wives of soldiers and 27 wives of sailors.

The Argentina, from Marseilles, has 100 casual companies, 6 special casual companies (colored), transportation corps Nos. 104 and 51, a total of 1265.

The Francesca, from Marseilles, 953 men, has 100 casual companies, 1200 men, has the 137th aero squadron, the 17th aero squadron and the 27th engineers complete, 42 officers and 1249 men.

The Giuseppe Verdi, from Marseilles, 1021 men, has 5 transportation corps companies, 13 casual companies, 11 nurses and 57 civilians.

The Italia, from Marseilles, 1016 men, has 15 casual companies, 4 officers and 4 men, 1 casual officer of the medical corps and 2 civilians.

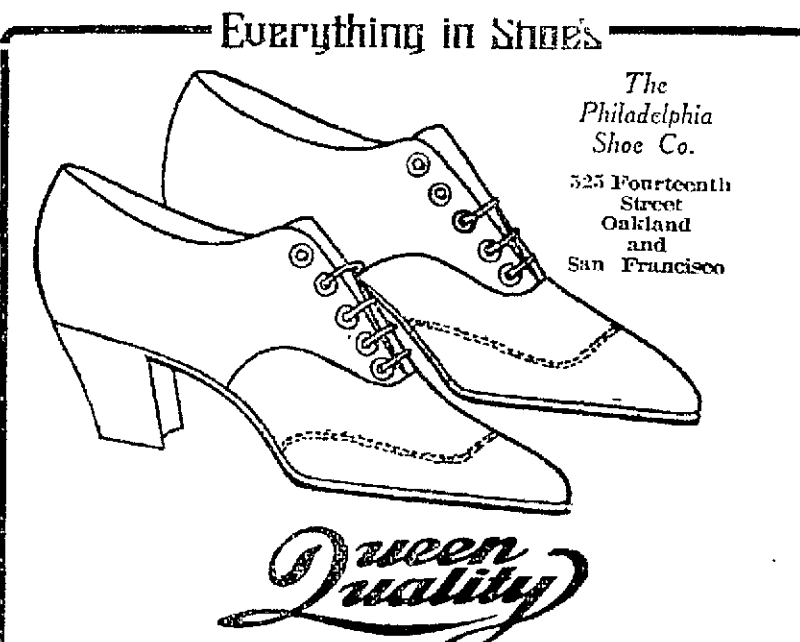
The Moccasin, from Brest, brings 22 casuals.

## Change Allowed in Divorce Complaint

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Mrs. Margaret T. Pratt was today allowed to change her suit against George W. Pratt, real estate broker, charging him with having a legal wife at the time she married him, instead of charging him with mere desertion.

The Council today appropriated \$100 to beautify the sites of Oakland's four branch libraries.

## Spring Medicine Hood's Sarsaparilla Purifies the Blood



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The most wanted of all styles for Spring—Queen Quality Spotless White Shoes—Oxfords, Pumps and High Shoes in this world-famous make, so celebrated for excellence of materials, perfection of fit and moderate prices.

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WHITE REIGNSKIN PUMPS, shield tipped toes, military Cuban heels. \$5.45

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The arrival of exquisitely cut steel buckles, imported direct from Paris. These exclusive buckles are priced from \$7.00 to \$25.00 per pair.

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## "DUTCH TREAT," IS PLATFORM OF U. C. SOCIETY

BERKELEY, March 20.—College men will no longer play the cavaliere to evade in the furnishing of chocolates and sundries, if a "Dutch treat" plan inaugurated on the campus of the University of California is carried out.

To carry out the purposes of the plan, a "Dutch treat" society is being organized similar to one now in operation at the University of Michigan.

For a college girl to accept a "treat" of any kind from a member of the club will be a breach of the new campus etiquette. Just how many members the new society will have is not known as yet. At any rate the organizers of the club say they have found a solution of the problem of the student working his way through college who desires to be chivalrous, but is held back by his pocket-book.

## 6 P. M. CLOSING LAW IS PASSED

Over the protest of Commissioner F. P. Moore and attorneys for the business community, the ordinance passed by the Retail Clerks' Union closing all pawnshops and second-hand stores every night after 6 o'clock, thus would eliminate business in these stores on Saturday nights.

The Clerks' Union holds that it has obtained permission from other stores to close, but that the second-hand stores remaining open will be an argument for other stores to go back to the old system.

Louis Chickman and Edward J. Tyrrell held the proposed ordinance is unconstitutional. Commissioners Fred Souterberg and E. P. Morse concurred in this. Mayor Davis, Commissioner F. P. Jackson and Commissioner W. L. Edwards voted for the ordinance.

J. C. Howell, librarian of the University of California, protested that "somebody was using the Council to pull chestnuts out of the fire" in the law passed. The Council today appropriated \$100 to beautify the sites of Oakland's four branch libraries.

## Capt. Petersen to Speak Before Moose

Captain Walter J. Petersen will address the members of Oakland local Moose Friday evening. Captain Petersen is a member of the organization and while in the service wrote a number of letters of appreciation to the Moose for its war services.

His address to the Moose Friday evening will be the first to be given by him before a fraternal organization since his return. It is expected that a large crowd will be on hand to greet him.

## 'REACTIONARY' CHAMBERLAIN TELLS BAKER

United Press Staff Correspondent.  
WASHINGTON, March 20.—Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the senate military affairs committee, today sent Secretary of War Baker a letter urging that Baker be fencing, instead of frankly admitting the evils of the court-martial system and co-operating with congress to remedy these evils.

Chamberlain's letter was sent in reply to a telegram received yesterday from Baker. Baker's telegram was an answer to Chamberlain's request that Baker make public statement by Lieutenant Colonel Ansell, former acting judge advocate general. Ansell's statement was his reply to a defense of the court-martial system issued by General Crowder and Secretary Baker nearly two weeks ago.

In his telegram Baker said: "More than a year ago I asked the military committees of both houses for legislation to correct the evils of the present court-martial system. I shall renew the request to Congress re-assembles. There would seem to be, therefore, no controversy on the merits of the subject. Have not yet seen General Ansell's statement and cannot imagine any reason why my consideration of it on my return will not be time enough."

In reply to this Chamberlain said: "It is painful to me to find you fencing upon a question which means so much to the tens of thousands of enlisted men who have suffered injustice under the present system. Your present recognition of existing evils of the court-martial system is strangely irreconcilable with your published statement no more remote than March 10. In that statement of warm approval of the existing system, you seemed to be of one mind."

Chamberlain then declared that because Ansell had had the courage to attack the court-martial system in testimony before the senate military affairs committee, "you have been his aide and too into the bosom of your confidence a trio of men who are pronounced reactionaries—General Crowder, the then acting chief of staff, and the inspector general, the last named her by name. It is even this day engaged by your order in a so-called investigation designed, in my judgment, to destroy the man who exposed the injustice of the present system."

## Fremont School to Give Farce Comedy

"All-of-a-sudden Peggy," a farce comedy in three acts, will be presented tomorrow night by the students of Fremont high school, Forty-sixth avenue and Fourth street, in the school auditorium. Jean Madge and Fred Gibson, senior students at the school, will play the leading roles.

The students in the leading roles have played prominent parts in other school productions and will be supported by a cast of students of the following: Helen Holmes, Margaret Gilles, Path La Fortune, Vera Schuyler, Ronald Dodge, George Trout, Ben Arlett, William Olsen and Emil Lehnhardt.

A staff of fifteen students of the school yesterday completed designing of the \$150 worth of new scenery which the school has purchased for this production. William S. Rice, head of the art department, is in charge of the construction of the scenery. Miss Catherine Robinson, instructor in dramatics, has coached the production.

## U. C. to Train Home Service Workers

BERKELEY, March 20.—For the training of home service workers, Berkeley and about the bay, a Red Cross home service institute will be held at the University of California, commencing March 24 and lasting six weeks. The course will be given by Dr. Solomon Blum of the university, who is in charge of the department of work in the home service departments of the various Red Cross chapters about the bay will be held in this manner in meeting problems.

The institute as planned, will consist of lectures, supervised demonstration conferences and reading and will be a short but intensive training in all the phases of home service work, including home care, child rearing and adjustment of disabled men; government provision for soldiers and sailors' families; community resources for home service.

Persons desiring to take the course should enroll at the office of the institute at the University. Registration fee of \$2 is the only charge.

## Opium Seized on Japanese Steamer

More than \$12,000 worth of opium was seized by customs inspectors aboard the Fensyu Maru, which arrived in San Francisco from the Orient Saturday. The opium was contained in 111 tins that were found concealed in practically every stateroom to which Chinese members of the crew had access.

Kun Lin, a passenger, caught removing opium from a secret compartment in the wall of his stateroom, is alleged to have offered inspectors a bribe of \$40. He was turned over to the federal authorities.

Yesterday's seizure of opium was the largest recorded this year.

## "Animals," Subject of Church Lecture

A lecture on "Our Friends, the Animals" will be given in the parish house of St. Paul's church, Grand and Montecito avenues, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The lecturer will be Mrs. Laurence Gronlund, superintendent of ethical and humane education. The lecture will be illustrated with a large collection of lantern slides, the subjects including classics in the way of ancient and modern bronzes, mosaics, tapestries, and paintings. The lecturer will also introduce animals on robed canvases of famous animal painters.

No charge is made for admittance, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

## GOES INTO BANKRUPTCY

Earl F. Childs, 4411 Brookdale avenue, Oakland, filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy in the federal court today, listing debts of \$553 and assets of \$15. Childs is a clerk.

PROTEST HIGHWAY ROUTE. RICHMOND, March 20.—Opposition to a memorial highway which would connect Martinez and Concord, leaving Richmond not entirely, was expressed at a meeting in Lincoln school last night when B. B. Anderson of Walnut Creek proposed the plan.

## GILROY TO VOTE ON SALOON ISSUE ON APRIL FIRST

SAN JOSE, March 20.—Gilroy will hold a special election on the saloon question April 1. A petition for a writ enjoining the city trustees of Gilroy from holding the election was denied in an opinion just delivered by Superior Judge J. H. Welch. Stoney Maycock, who is the proprietor of the Central hotel, where liquor is sold, petitioned for the injunction as a taxpayer. The ordinance which will be submitted to the Gilroy voters April 1 is an initiative measure which was submitted to the council some time ago. The council refused to pass the measure and decided to submit it to a vote of the people.

Maycock contended that the initiative and referendum are not operative in the city of Gilroy.

In his ruling Judge Welch held that the right of the initiative and referendum is exclusively reserved to the towns and cities in the state.

## FIGURES MEAN NOTHING TO HER

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Spectators in the courts of Federal Judge T. H. Dooley were entertained by a battle of wits at the trial of the National Defense League of California defendants, charged with diversion of the league's funds during the cross-examination of Mrs. Alice F. Rogers, alias Robie, one of the defendants, was begun by Mrs. Annette A. Adams, U. S. district attorney.

When asked to explain the use to which the league's money had been put in Los Angeles when she was field secretary and after examining her own checks and bank book, Mrs. Rogers said, "Figures mean nothing to me. I haven't a mathematical mind." She also denied having knowledge of the connection of John H. Suits, another defendant, who pleaded guilty on the first day of the trial for his participation in any division of the Los Angeles subscriptions which were sent to the league's headquarters here.

The government has already introduced a letter from Suits to Suits in which she said, "You will be lucky if you get \$5000 out of Los Angeles."

In explanation of this she today said that meant she had been "lucky" and testified that she believed Suits "would take everything she could get his hands on."

When questioned by Mrs. Adams as to when she began changing her name from Robie to Rogers during the Oakland hotel "house hospital" fiasco, Mrs. Rogers said, "I changed my name when I got married. I had written her by name, John H. Suits, and she had complied with his request by taking the name of her first husband. Her cross-examination probably will be continued tomorrow, when the case may reach the jury next Tuesday."

## SCHOOLS CLOSER TO FACTORY WORK

Lewis F. Avery, assistant superintendent of the Oakland public schools, returned from his attendance upon the National Superintendent's conference at Chicago, and he visited to the schools of middle western cities, and made his report before the principals and supervisors at their regular meeting in Chabot Hall yesterday afternoon. Avery brought back to the Oakland public schools a knowledge of what many middle western cities are doing and of what effect the war has had upon education generally throughout the United States.

The National Superintendent's Convention was attended by 10,000 superintendents, assistant superintendents, principals and other educators, whose chief problem seemed to be the educational problems brought out by the war.

Avery found that Americanization is being taken up nationally and is being developed particularly through neighborhood agencies and community organizations. He found a very close cooperation between the schools and the factories and industrial plants employing foreign born labor.

## Offers Security for His Unpaid Alimony

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Edward A. Stock, accused by Mrs. Carrie A. Stock of having an even dozen affairs when she was securing her divorce in October, 1916, appeared before Judge T. F. Graham yesterday and explained that he had not kept up payments

## "It's good shopping to buy the best" says Bobby

—and when it comes to corn flakes, you shouldn't be satisfied with ordinary corn flakes but you should ask for

**Post Toasties**

## \$3000 WORTH OF JEWELS IN THIEF'S LOOT

BERKELEY, March 20.—One of the richest hauls made in Berkeley in some months by burglars occurred yesterday when the Claremont home of William J. Hotchkiss (California lumber magnate) was looted of jewelry valued at about \$3000.

The loot was discovered last evening when Mrs. Hotchkiss returned to her home, 2855 Claremont avenue, after a day spent in San Francisco. Going to her room to prepare for dinner Mrs. Hotchkiss discovered jewelry which she had left lying on her dressing table.

The stolen articles included a handsome ring set with a large diamond, and surrounded by smaller stones, valued at \$2000; two bracelets, valued at \$15; one lady's fine opal ring, surrounded by chip diamonds, \$125; a pin set with pearls, \$50; a Daughters of the Confederacy pin, \$24; gold bar pin, \$20, and a strand of gold beads, \$25.

None of the rest of the Hotchkiss home was noticed in any way by the intruders. According to Mrs. Hotchkiss the house was left alone in the care of a Chinese cook. All of the windows and doors were open during the day, making it easy to gain entrance. No suspicion is directed by the family toward the cook, it being believed by them that a person familiar with the house and the movements of the occupants took advantage of the absence of the family to ply his trade.

Mrs. Hotchkiss is prominent in East-bay society circles. Her daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Hotchkiss, formerly Hazel Hotchkiss, is well known as a champion tennis player.

The Hotchkiss robbery is one of a series of thefts reported to the Berkeley police during the past twenty-four hours. Other thefts reported are as follows:

Dolph Chi fraternity house, 2617 Durant avenue, reported by Fred Farner; \$10, bath robe, and slippers stolen.

Miss Ida Lindgren, 2324 Curtis st., \$30. Mrs. S. M. Pagano, 327 Fulton, reported to the police today that she has lost a purse containing \$100 in Liberty bonds and a gold signet ring valued at \$25.

## DAVIE BALKS AT 'JOINT MEETING'

Mayor John I. Davie says that he will not be a "ballotbox" for rival candidates. He says he won't go to meetings with other candidates, because his appearance draws the crowds of other men, and thus places him in the light of a "ballotbox" at a side-show.

"They would be making me a walking advertisement—I to draw the crowds, to make all the noise," said the mayor.

"The first 'joint meeting' to be refused by the mayor is that to be held at the Santa Fe Improvement Association tomorrow night. He has declined the invitation of the organization, writes as follows:

"Santa Fe Improvement Assn., Chas. E. Martin, Secretary, 307 Fifty-fifth St., Oakland, California.

"Dear Sir: I appreciate the very kind spirit prompting your invitation to appear before your members next Wednesday evening, together with the other candidates for Mayor, in an address to be limited to ten minutes.

"I believe the other candidates for Mayor can give their message and sling their mud in ten minutes' time, but with twenty-five years' experience in public life I can not convey the message which I have for the people in such limited time.

"I believe every candidate should paddle his own canoe. I am going to hold meetings in every section of this city and I know the people will come to hear before they are asked to vote. But to be the drawing card for candidates injected into a fight to defeat an incumbent, I ran not attend these meetings.

"Assuring you that I will give the people of your district an opportunity to hear my side of the story and with best wishes for the success of your meeting, I am

"JOHN I. DAVIE,  
Mayor of the City of Oakland."

on his alimony as he had been out of work until recently. He offered Judge Graham four \$100 bonds as security for the \$775 he still owes his former wife.

Stock was accused by his wife of having a dozen affairs in the divorce complaint naming two special agents, A. Mrs. J. M. Mannon, 929 Post street, and an actress known to her only as "Rosebud." She further charged that he was unusually vain and devoted a large part of his time when at home to dressing his toilet.

## Jokes About Illness Just Before Death

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—After leaving his office complaining that he did not feel well and scoffing at the idea that he was seriously ill, W. W. Allen, an attorney of this city, dropped dead yesterday afternoon at O'Farrell and Stockton streets. Heart failure is believed to have been the cause of death.

J. W. Henderson and Frank B. MacLerh, Allen's law partners, said that Allen had joked about his not feeling well when he left for court yesterday morning. Allen was a son of the late Judge W. W. Allen, who was 47 years old and lived at 1509 Tenth avenue. He is survived by a daughter, Alberta, 19, a student at the University of California and a son, Wallace, 14 years old.

## William Hart, Not of Film Fame, in Jail

William Hart is in the Oakland city prison. It's not the famous movie hero, but another William Hart, who, however, is very proud of his namesake.

William was arrested early this morning on a charge of intoxication, and held for investigation because of certain remarks in his possession the detectives wanted more information about.

"Gee—you oughtn't to pinch me—I'm drunk," after Bill Hart, the film star," remarked the prisoner.

"That's nothing," retorted Captain of Inspectors James T. Drew, "I'm the grandson of John Drew, the actor, who's too proud to go into the movies at all!"

Then the elevator took William upstairs under the clock.

## FOR DAY OF PRAYER. Tomorrow will be observed as a day of prayer for Methodist missions by a meeting to be held at 2 o'clock at the Elgin Avenue Methodist Church, at Eighth avenue and East Seventeenth street.

**WHY HAIR FALLS OUT**  
Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a small bottle of Danderine at any drug store for a few cents, pour a little in your hand and rub well into the scalp. After several applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.—Advertisement.

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Scores and scores of bargains—values to satisfy the most critical shoppers. Some lines are so radically low-priced we can't promise how long they will last. To get the best selection come early. For obvious reasons quantities may be limited.  
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**59c WOMEN'S COVERALL APRONS 59c**  
Assorted medium and dark percales; open back style; cut full and long. Our reg. \$1.00 value. Friday only, each.

**HUGHES' IDEAL HOG BRISTLE BRUSH**—Sells regularly \$1.25.  
Special, each. **59c**  
**RUBBER COMBS**—75c and \$1.00 values. Your choice of an assortment of all coarse, or fine and coarse combined.  
Friday only, each. **59c**  
**ORIENTAL PEARL EARRINGS**—Reg. 75c values.  
Friday only, pair. **59c**  
**STERLING SILVER BAR PINS**—75c value; set with rhinestones; assorted colors.  
Friday only, each. **59c**

**Women's Silk Hose**  
Black or white; made with full fashioned hile foot and seamless hile garter top. Irregulars of our \$1.25 quality.  
Friday only, pair. **59c**

**LARGE STAMPED TOWELS**—Reg. \$1.00 value. Friday only, special, each. **59c**  
**STAMPED HEMSTITCHED PILLOW SLIPS**—Reg. \$1.25 value. Friday only, special, pair. **59c**  
**REIS' MERCERIZED CROCHET THREAD**—Reg. \$1.50 value. (Not all sizes). Friday only, special, box. **59c**

## WOMEN'S FABRIC GLOVES

**59c pr.** Included are heavy quality black chamoisette and an assorted lot of colors and sizes in silk gloves. 69c, 85c and 98c values. Friday only, special, pair. **59c**

**BLACK COTTON NET**—36 in. wide; suitable for waists, dresses and millinery purposes. Reg. 75c values. Friday only, special, yard. **59c**  
**WHITE COTTON NET**. 72 in. wide; reg. 75c val. Friday only, spec. yd. **59c**  
**FINISHED DRAPE VEILS**—Black, brown, purple and taupe, fine mesh with chenille dotted borders; 75c value. Friday only, special, each. **59c**

**Women's Collars**  
Small lot, including fine net, Georgette crepe and organdie trimmed with dainty lace. Regular \$1.00 values. Friday only, special, each. **59c**

**FELT BASE LINOLEUM REMNANTS**—Reg. 85c quality. About 200 yards on sale Friday only at 2 square yards for. **59c**  
**RAJAH DRAPERY FABRIC**—Reg. \$1.50 quality; 36 in. wide. Friday only, yard. **59c**  
**OPAQUE WINDOW SHADES**—Reg. \$1.05 quality; size 3x6 ft. Friday only, each. **59c**

## CHILDRENS' COLORED DRESSES

**59c ea** Odd lot gingham and chambrays; sizes 2 to 5 years only. Regular \$1.25 values. Friday only, each. **59c**

**BLEACHED TABLE DAMASK**—Heavy quality; pretty patterns; 64 in. wide; 79c value. Friday only, yard. **59c**  
**UNBLEACHED SHEETING**—Good weight; 2 1/2 yards wide; 65c value. Friday only, yard. **59c**  
**HUCK TOWELS**—Heavy quality; various sizes; plain white; some slightly soiled; 15c and 20c values. Friday only, 6 for. **59c**

**Bleached "Ullica" SHEETING**  
Extra heavy quality; full 2 1/2 yards wide; for double bed; 80c value. Friday only, yard. **59c**  
(Limit 12 yards to customer)

**SILK CAMISOLES**—Pink only; made with yoke of lace and finished with ribbon shoulder straps. Reg. 79c value. Friday only, each. **59c**  
**CORDED MOIRE RIBBON**—5 1/2 in. wide; all the best colors. Special, Friday only, 2 yards for. **59c**  
**UNBLEACHED MUSLIN**—36 in. wide; good weight; 20c value. Friday only, 4 yds. **59c**

## RAG RUGS

**59c** 60c value: size 18x36 inches with fringed ends; pretty colorings. Friday only, special, 2 for. **59c**  
(Limit 2 to a customer)

**AN ASSORTMENT OF FIGURED POPLINS**—Tusals, me-sals and crepes; hand-ome stripes, plaids and figures; 36 in. wide; \$1.00 and \$1.25 values. To close out, Friday only, yard. **59c**  
**FIGURED VENETIANS**—White ground with large floral designs; 36 in. wide. Reg. 85c quality. Friday only, yard. **59c**  
(Sold in Rear of Main Floor)  
**SEMI-SILK CREPE DE CHINE**—Ivory white only; soft, silky finish; 36 inches wide; \$1.00 quality. Friday only, yard. **59c**

**Women's Waists**  
Odd lot plain white and fancy striped waists, including some sample waists; all are \$1.00 values. Friday only, each. **59c**

**MEN'S HOLEPROOF SILK HOSE**—Reinforced heel, toe and sole; black, white, dark tan, cordovan, Pearl, Palm Beach and navy. Reg. 75c value. Friday only, pair. **59c**  
**MEN'S SHIRTS**—Neck band style with soft French cuffs; made of fine percale, assorted striped patterns; size 14 to 17 neck. Reg. 95c value. Friday only, each. **59c**  
**BOYS' BLOUSES**—Made of fine percale or blue chambray; military style, timeless style; ages 5 to 14. Reg. 75c value. Friday only, each. **59c**

**WOMEN'S FLEECE LINED UNION SUITS**—High neck, long sleeves, ankle length, out sizes only. Regular \$1.50 value. Friday only, each. **59c**

**GIRLS' FLEECE LINED UNION SUITS**—High neck, long sleeves, ankle length, medium weight, white cotton, all sizes, 4 to 12 years. Reg. \$1.00 value. Friday only, each. **59c**

**BROKEN LINE OF CHILDREN'S KNIT UNDERWEAR**—Vest and pants; mostly large sizes; all are 70c values. Friday only, each. **59c**

**BABIES' CREEPERS AND ROMPERS**—Pink and blue pin check gingham, trimmed with rickrack braid; ages six months to four years. Special 75c values. Friday only—each. **59c**

**Whitthorne & Swan, Washington Street at Eleventh**



### Japanese Officers in Army Scandal

TOKYO, March 20.—An army scandal, involving Japanese officers and merchants at Harbin, has been unearthed, according to Hoch's correspondent in South Manchuria. Prominent officers now stationed at Harbin are mentioned. Investigations now under way will disclose irregularities in permits granted for the use of railroad cars. Merchants are declared to have bribed army officers in efforts to get permits. Bribes are said to have aided Japanese merchants to get their goods to Siberia by a more direct route, saving them thousands of dollars.

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## The Right Laxative For The Little Ones---

The natural condition of a child is to be happy and carefree. When the girl mopes and is indifferent to school and study, or the boy is sullen and refuses to go out and play, the child needs a laxative to empty the bowels and stir up the liver.

But something should be given that will produce the result in as simple and natural a way as possible. Harsh cathartics and physics are neither necessary nor desirable.

Many mothers have found that the combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin sold by druggists under the name of Dr.

Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin produces a free movement of the bowels without gripping. A very little is required, and it is pleasant to take. A few hours after its use the child will be its happy self again.

It is an excellent remedy for the mother herself, and for the other members of the family, in obstinate or occasional constipation, for the relief of headaches, as an aid in colds and fevers, minor skin eruptions and all disorders where the basis of the trouble is constipation.

The druggist will refund the money you pay for Syrup Pepsin if it fails to do as promised.

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**SYRUP PEPSIN**  
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In spite of greatly increased laboratory costs due to the war, by sacrificing profits and absorbing our losses we have maintained the price at which this family laxative has been sold by druggists for the past 6 years. Two sizes—5c and 15c.

If you have never used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin send for a free trial bottle to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 464 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. If there are babies at home, ask for a copy of Dr. Caldwell's book, "The Care of Baby."

## FACTIONAL WAR SCORED AS DANGER

"The frightful crime of Tuesday night by which an Oakland mother was bombed to death on the threshold of her home is the most damning criticism possible on existing conditions in this city. The greatest enemy of our Christ, his country, and his city is that man who seeks to create classes and to array one against the other by inoculating them with the virus of doubt, suspicion, fear, and hatred until the insane desire for vice, arson, murder, and sabotage takes the place of reason." This was the opening remark of Joseph H. King, candidate for mayor, at a meeting held yesterday at the home of Mrs. William B. Simmons, 2819 West street.

"In every community there are men and women who, because of special adaptation or training, are rightfully regarded as leaders. Such leaders are not arbitrarily selected, they come into existence naturally. Upon such rests a great responsibility, especially when they are elected to public office. Unconsciously the public mind is directed by them. If the direction be right, there will be progress and harmony. If it be wrong, there will be a halted development, a low degree of morality and continuous factional fighting."

"Looking back for four years, we can all see that there has been a steady growth of vicious and costly factionalism in this city. One element has been arraigned against another, following the example set by those in high places who were elected for better things. It is nothing new to tell you that a large portion

## WIRELESS WAVE SENDS VOICES OVER OCEAN

LONDON, March 20.—(Special Cable Despatch)—The human voice has traversed the Atlantic. After many months of preliminary experiments in long distance telephony a Marconi engineer sat in a wireless hut at Clifden, Ireland, lifted the receiver and called Glace Bay. Instantly the answer came.

From that moment on continuously Clifden communicated with Nova Scotia, the voices carrying strong and clear all day.

"Our experiment was a complete success," Mr. George Bradfield of the Marconi Company told Universal Service tonight. "Transmission was absolutely instantaneous and the voices were as clear as yours over the telephone."

London first heard the news when Godfrey Isaacs, managing director of Marconi's made the simple announcement at a dinner of the American Chamber of Commerce.

## New Head Chosen for Greek Legation

Michael Tsamados, who was former consul-general of the Greek government in San Francisco, has assumed charge of the Greek legation in Washington, according to advices to the effect that he so notified the state department. Constantin Panagoulis, heretofore attached to the Greek consulate-general staff in New York, is to succeed Tsamados in San Francisco.

## Seeks Divorce from Interned Husband

Divorce and restoration to citizenship are sought by Mrs. Ethel R. Brandeis in a suit against Uriah A. Brandeis, former San Francisco newspaperman interned at Fort Douglas, Utah, as an enemy alien. She charges cruelty and insufficient support while Brandeis was interned and the necessary humiliation since his internment.

BARRETT CAMP BANQUET. An entertainment and banquet will be given by Barrett Camp, No. 28, United Spanish War Veterans, Department of California, of Alameda, at Moose hall next Tuesday evening at 8:30. There will be dancing and refreshments.

of the public utterances of the mayor of this city have been such as to create dissension and distrust. In the last analysis this pernicious system results in the use of bombs, dynamite, and the bloody shambles of the battlefield.

PRISMS COMMITTEE. "I cannot better express my views on this vital question than by referring to the valuable and practical work done by the commonwealth committee of Oakland, of which I was the father. This committee consists of every element of society, interested in the common welfare. All meet on equal terms. One is no better than the other. Labor leaders have given us some of our soundest advice and most valuable information. Matters affecting industrialism, government, and those things that all Americans have a right to, are freely discussed and adjusted."

When Secretary of Labor Wilson was on a visit here some months ago, he congratulated the labor members on their honest participation in their conferences. He congratulated the organization as a whole, and I may say, said a few complimentary words about my plan of direction. He requested the commonwealth committee to prepare for the benefit of the department of labor of Washington a written report of its plan of organization and of its accomplishments, so that he could forward such reports to all commercial organizations in the United States as a model of the kind of work that is most needed in this country today.

## COMB SAGE TEA INTO GRAY HAIR

Darkens Beautifully and Restores Its Natural Color and Lustre at Once

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea, with sulphur and alcohol added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get the ready-to-use preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients. A large bottle at little cost restores your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, thus avoiding a lot of fuss.

While gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared. After another application or two your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant and you appear years younger.—Advertisement.

## OPTICAL

It is better to protect your eyes than to neglect them. Perfect health and happiness depends on good eyesight.

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P. Anderson makes coal, wood and gas stoves good as new. Or supply new parts for all kinds of stoves. No removal from premises. Everything guaranteed. Don't make any difference what is the matter—new grate, fire-back, water-back, oven to line or door or—I can fix it.  
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Your old cast-away Gents' Clothing for cash.  
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## PROPOSED ROAD GIVEN APPROVAL

Approval was given yesterday by the advisory board of the state engineering department of a resolution of the board of directors of joint highway district No. 1, that the engineering department prepare specifications and make surveys for the proposed skyline boulevard in San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara and Santa Cruz counties.

An appropriation of \$2,471,000 for construction work is included in a bill before the legislature.

Supervisors R. J. Welch of San Francisco, J. A. Harvey of Santa Cruz, P. E. Mitchell of Santa Clara, and John MacBain of San Mateo are the directors of the highway district.

At a joint session of the highway board of the engineering department and the highway district directors to discuss preliminary steps for the construction of the boulevard, N. D. Darlington, Charles Whitmore and Emmett Phillips, state

highway commissioners, and J. H. McCallum, president of the state board of harbor commissioners, represented the advisory board.

## No Indigestion! Stomach Feels Fine! No Acidity, Gas, Souring, Dyspepsia



Belching gas, food souring in stomach, lumps of pain from indigestion and all distress from an upset stomach stops instantly. Yes! At once!

No more stomach-headache. Never any indigestion pain.

Pape's Diapepsin not only relieves bad stomachs but it strengthens weak stomachs. Splendid! Costs little—Any drug store.



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**Alteration Sale**

MARYMONT AND UPRIGHT  
13th and Washington, Oakland

—Yes, the big alteration sale continues, because the carpenters are still busy. But tomorrow it takes a different slant, and instead of 10% off throughout the house, nineteen articles are offered at very special pricings. 25¢ stamps, as always. Don't miss these

## Specials for Friday Only---

### Serge Dresses \$12.85

—Newly arrived frocks in the very newest styles for spring. All-wool serge in black, navy, brown and burgundy. One model has the skirt heavily embroidered in black silk braid and stitching. The other model has fancy braiding on the blouse and a smartly button-trimmed skirt. Sizes to 44. A most unusual value for Friday only.

### Downstairs Salesroom Specials

#### Huck Towels

—A big special in 15c hemmed towels, sizes 18x36 and 18x42. This is a "before the war" price, and wise women will stock up. Dozen lots will be sold for—  
**\$1.65 the dozen**

#### Table Napkins

—Soft finish table napkins, 18x18, neatly hemmed. The Friday price is, dozen...  
**87½¢**

#### Bed Spreads

—Double bed size crochet spreads in \$1.59 pretty Marcellis patterns. Very specially priced.

#### White Suits

—Linen finish suits, for women's tub skirts 19c and children's dresses and rompers. Yard wide.

#### Comforter Calico

—Neat light and dark patterns in comforter calico, very specially priced at  
**12 yds. for \$1**

#### Extension Rods

—48-inch brass extension rods, with silver finished knobs. A great convenience in hanging curtains.  
**9c**

#### Crochet Cotton

—Silkine crochet cotton, in all colors and sizes, for Friday only. You save 50c on every box you buy at this price of  
**\$1.00 a box**

#### Hi Chocolate

—Bishop's famous High School chocolate, very special at  
**3 packages for 10c**

### Misses' Sweaters

—Beautiful silk fibre sweaters that look like pure silk. The colors are coral, Copen, gold, rose, maize and turquoise, so pretty for girls. Large collars, sashes and pockets. Sizes 30 to 34.  
**\$3.95**

### Silk Waists

—The new high colors in light weight blouses which are very smart. Embroidered and tucked styles, with high or low necks. Sizes to 44.  
**\$1.65**

### Corset Special

—Pink and white corsets of good wearing quality are taken from our regular stock to sell at this price on Friday. Low bust, extra long hip, rubber gores in back. Sizes 19 to 30, in styles for slender and average figures.  
**\$1.29**

### Muslin Underwear

Gowns, Petticoats, Envelopes, Bloomers  
—The gowns have embroidery trimmed yokes; the envelopes are lace and embroidery trimmed; the petticoats have embroidery flounces and come in white or pink. The bloomers are of crepe, with elastic at waist and knee.  
**79c**

### All-over Aprons

—These aprons are cut full and long, are made with semi-belts and side pockets. All seams are bound. Checks, plaids, stripes and figures, taped with white.  
**75c**

### Black Chiffon Taffeta

—Yard wide black chiffon taffeta, soft finished and of good value.  
**89c**

### Wool-mixed Serge

—This pretty part-wool serge comes in navy, brown, green, purple, garnet and gray. Very good for dresses for little or big folks. There's almost a half reduction on this.  
**49c**

### Silk Stockings

—Pure thread silk stockings for women. Double sole and reinforced garter top. Colors are pink, champagne, brown, khaki and white.  
**49c**

### Swiss Ribbed Vests

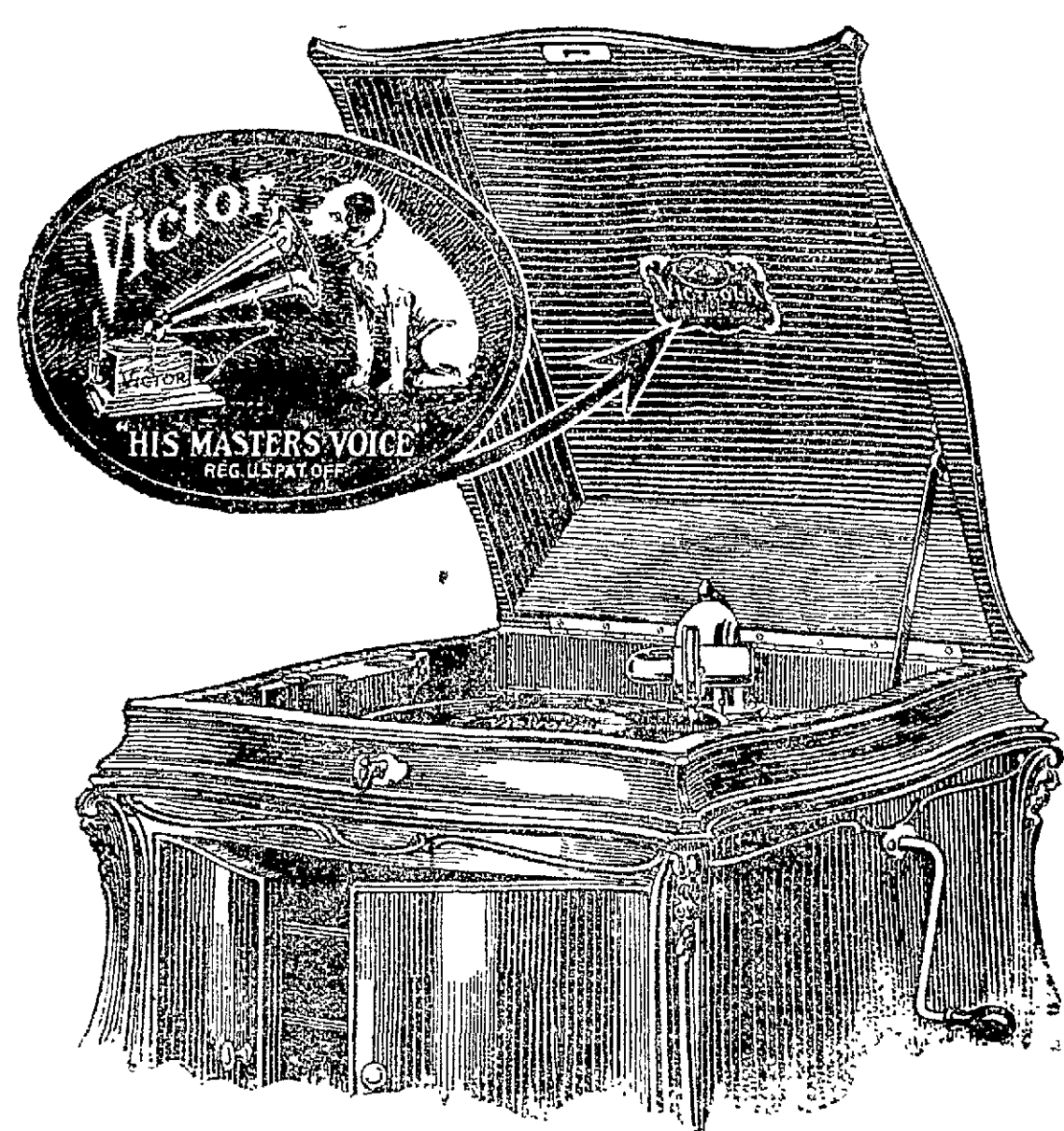
—Extra long swiss ribbed vests, with fancy beaded top. The price is such one should stock up for summer.  
**25c**

### Embroidered Handkerchiefs

—White handkerchiefs, neatly hemstitched and embroidered in white or colors. A good buy at.....  
**7c**

**MARYMONT AND UPRIGHT**  
13th and Washington, Oakland

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If it hasn't this trademark, it isn't a Victrola

You can readily identify the Victrola by the famous Victor trademark "His Master's Voice." It is not a Victrola without the Victor dog. This trademark is on every Victrola. It guarantees the quality and protects you from inferior substitutes.

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Look inside the lid—insist upon seeing the famous Victor trademarks. On the portable styles which have no lid, the Victor trademark appears on the side of the cabinet.

Victor Talking Machine Co., Camden, N. J.

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## GOVERNOR TO GREET NAVAL COMMITTEE

Governor Stephens will drop the cares of state to come to Oakland to meet the House naval committee. The Governor telephoned from Sacramento to the Oakland Chamber of Commerce this morning that he could not permit his old colleagues to pass through California without greeting them. Stephens, as a congressman from Los Angeles, was a member of the House naval committee and is a close friend of a number of its present members, particularly Congressman Lemuel Padgett, the chairman.

The governor will be one of the special guests at either the luncheon to be given the congressmen Saturday or at the dinner Monday evening. Reservations for the luncheon are pouring into the Chamber of Commerce and indications are that the 250 places will be taken long before the reserved list closes at 5 o'clock tomorrow night. Congressman Eiston wires from Los Angeles that the women in the congressional party are taking as keen an interest in the Pacific Coast defenses as are the men and refuse to be left out of the trips to the various projects. Consequently, plans have been made by the Chamber of Commerce committee on arrangements, headed by President J. C. Capwell and Victor H. Metcalf, former secretary of the Navy, so that the women will go on all the trips of investigation. As a consequence, a number of social affairs in honor of the women may have to be abandoned. The party will arrive about 8 o'clock Saturday morning on the Owl at the Sixteenth street station. After breakfast, the inspection of Oakland's ship-

## PADEREWSKI'S WIFE TELLS OF RED ATROCITIES

CHICAGO, March 20. — "I must hold my heart with both my hands for fear it will burst from pain," wrote Madame Helena Paderewski, wife of the Polish premier, to President Suiaski of the National Polish department here. "There is misery here and famine," her letter said. "The Polish army is hungry, without shoes and without cloaks in zero weather. Our enemies commit the most horrible atrocities. Some of the women taken prisoner were impaled on pikes. So were also six nuns who were then removed and hurled into a heap to die slowly."

## COMMERCE CHAMBER IN MEXICO

MEXICO CITY, March 20.—American Chambers of Commerce have been established in the cities of Monterey and Tampico, and will cooperate with the American Chamber of Commerce of this city.

J. C. Capwell, president of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, George A. Armes, second vice-president of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, president of the Moore Shipbuilding Co.; Joseph R. Knowland, former congressman, publisher of The Tribune; Harrison S. Robinson, attorney for the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Corporation; Joseph J. Rosborough, postmaster; Major John L. Irvine of Oakland; Major Greene Majors of Alameda; Charles E. Hewes, city manager of Alameda; C. C. Adams, president of the Alameda Chamber of Commerce; Captain Walter G. Tibbitts of the Alameda city planning commission; W. W. Chapin, publisher of the Enquirer; E. A. Vandewater, publisher of the Post.

## STATE SCHOOL LAW TO FORBID GERMAN URGED

SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 20.—Passage of Sample's bill to prohibit the teaching of German in any of the public or private educational institutions in California was recommended last night by the Senate education committee by a vote of 10 to 4. Four voted against the bill because the committee rejected Senator Johnson's amendment to permit teaching of German in high schools.

The Senate education committee reported out two bills by Sharkey increasing county support of elementary schools from \$550 to \$600, and providing for the appointment of funds on this proposed basis. Senator Gates while voting with the committee reserved the right to oppose the bills on the floor, as he said he was not satisfied that the state could grant at this time all the increases desired by the educational department.

## Carl Strassberger, Musician, Succumbs

LOS ANGELES, March 20.—Carl Clemens Strassberger, noted musician, formerly of St. Louis, died suddenly here yesterday. Mr. Strassberger was born near Dresden, Saxony, in 1859, and received his musical education at the Dresden Royal Conservatory. He came to the United States in 1881, making his home in St. Louis four years later. He was the author of several well-known compositions.

## Tars Rebel at New Ships' Names Mrs. Wilson Picks Indian Titles

Woe has befallen the skipper and the man before the mast. The good old days have passed away. Literature, history and high-browism have entered to make the skipper and boat that made him one of the merry crew of the "Mary Anne" or the "Emily Lou." He now merely ships for the season on a nameless ship, in a nameless crew. He carries a ship guide in his pocket. When his shame must be revealed, sadly he brings it forth and silently points to the place where the name of his ship is printed. He is dumb and dazed. He can neither pronounce the name of the good ship which claims him nor spell its mystic letters. The Great Spirit has settled upon the sea and baptized all the ocean travelers with names of the Indian dieties!

The skipper throws up his helpless hands and yows he will not sail and sailing not know his ship.

**SAMPLE OF JAWBREAKERS.** So the "Chifchung," the "Gulmba," the "Lonoke," the "Monasses," the "West Ashawa," and the "West Amar-gosa" may play the waters, but never a song and never a chantey and never a rhyme and many a thought to the days gone by and the good old names of the good old ships.

Martiners are demanding American names on the new vessels which have been built during the war. They agree that the new names are too hard to be pronounced, that they cannot be spelled. Then marshaling statistics to prove the point they are willing to state that in a crew of 40 men there can be found but two to pronounce the name of their ship and among some of the crews there is not a man who can spell the fanciful name.

**MRS. WILSON POETICAL.** To Mrs. Wilson, wife of President Woodrow Wilson, was accorded the honor of selecting the titles by which the vessels built during the period of the war should be known. A descendant of Pocahontas and of the first Ameri-

cans, she quite naturally weaved the poetry of her ancestors into the traditions of the sea and called upon their history for the names. But the shades of the redman mean nothing to the skipper. He wants to sing his ship's name and spell its letters. He refuses to stutter and stammer and point. And there are the president's wife and the mariners in deadlock. And whether poetry or utility wins is a secret of the future.

## OIL LAW CHANGES ARE TURNED DOWN

SACRAMENTO, March 20.—Virtually all the amendments proposed to the present oil well drilling regulation law in the Thompson bill urged by the state oil and gas supervisor, and in the Eklund bill urged by the Chamber of Mines and Oil of Los Angeles were rejected today by the Senate oil industries committee.

The committee agreed to recommend amendments to permit the state oil supervisor to appoint as inspectors operators with five years' experience in California fields, and to provide a penalty for violating the present provisions of the law prohibiting the representative of any oil company sitting as a member of a district oil commission to pass upon a matter in which his company is interested.

**POLICE MATRON "SASSY."** CHICAGO, March 20.—The law says policemen may be discharged for using "language unbecoming a gentleman." Civil service commissioners said it applied to Police Matron Jennie Consiman, who "sassed" superiors.

## PRIMARY BILL ATTACK FAILS IN ASSEMBLY

SACRAMENTO, March 20.—Two attempts to amend the Breed primary election bill authorizing party committees to fill vacancies occurring after the primaries, failed in the Assembly yesterday. Discussion of the amendments, one of which would have prevented aspirants for office from seeking the nomination of more than one party, and another requiring the party affiliation of candidates to be marked on the ballot, brought on a lively debate in which an attempt to "jam through" the bill in its present form was charged.

A technical amendment by Assemblyman Matthews, Republican floor leader, was adopted and the bill sent to the Senate. When it comes up for third reading Friday, Assemblyman Kasech, who voted for the amendment offered yesterday, said he would seek to have the bill changed to permit a candidate to run on the ticket of any party giving him a plurality.

**PROHIBITION BILL DEBATE.** The primary election debate followed two lively tiffs over compensating California viticultural interests for loss they may sustain through the cost of prohibition, and White's bill to amend the women's eight-hour day law to permit laundry employees to work nine hours a day in weeks where holidays occur.

The Assembly carried, 41 to 33, Hurley's motion to reconsider its action in passing White's bill. The author's effort to have the matter considered today failed, and it was set for special order of business Friday morning.

Bruck's bill authorizing the governor to name a commission to investigate the matter of loss of grape growers was withdrawn from the agriculture committee, which had tabled it, by a vote of 42 to 28, and the author was permitted to amend it to eliminate the provision carrying an appropriation. Two amendments proposed by Gray to include all liquor interests and to state that the passage of the bill would not commit the state to a policy of compensating the grape growers, failed by votes of 30 to 43 and 38 to 39. Gray said two years hence the passage of the bill might be used as an argument to force compensation for interests other than the viticulturists.

McCray announced he would ask the Assembly today to direct the public morals committee, which tabled his bill to prohibit the sale of a popular beverage to report it to the House.

**"RAILROADING" CHARGED.** When several assemblymen signified intentions of offering amendments to the Breed primary bill, which has the support of the administration, Bennett moved that the amendments be printed and the matter go over for a day. Carter, Kasech, Oakley and others urged the importance of the measure in advocating passage of the motion. The motion was lost.

"You are not going to jam this bill through here as it was jammed through the Senate and the Assembly elections committee," said Carter.

"These delaying tactics will keep us here into the summer," Gebhart said in urging immediate consideration. Bennett said "much time was given to little things and little time to big things."

"I'm for action now so I can get home and cut my alfalfa," said Doran. Carter moved to adjourn but later withdrew his motion after a futile attempt to defer consideration of the amendment.

The Assembly conservation committee last night tabled Eason's bill providing for the abatement of unscaped arroyos with Eason said he would ask the House to instruct the committee to report the measure out today. The bill would have the effect of drying up Orange county duck preserves of gun clubs organized by Los Angeles business, it is contended.

**War Purpose Land Bill Is Approved** SACRAMENTO, March 20.—A bill vesting counties and municipalities with authority to acquire land and give it to the government for war purposes was favorably reported today by the senate revenue and taxation committee. The measure was introduced by Senator Hart and originally was limited to counties, but an amendment offered by Senator Sample that was adopted by the committee changed it to include municipalities. Hart said the bill was introduced to enable Los Angeles county to give the government property at Arcadia for an aviation field. Such gifts would revert to the counties or municipalities if abandoned by the government.

**Saloon Man Taken for Carman's Murder** SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—W. J. McKinney, owner of a saloon at Ninth avenue and Eddy street, was arrested last night and charged with murder in connection with the slaying of William Sommer, United Railways conductor, by street car bandits on the night of February 13. McKinney was arrested as he was leaving the grand jury room, the jury already having indicted him on a charge of murder.

The arrest of McKinney follows the confession of Harold Zuehl and James Kiernan, street car bandits, who said that McKinney had given them the weapon they used in the hold-up in his saloon and told them to "go out and get some money."

The two men also told the grand jury that McKinney had loaned them the same gun two years before, when they held up and robbed a pedestrian at Thirty-third avenue and California street.

**Woman in Jail for Having Man's Ring** Mrs. Grace Barand is in the city prison today. The police and Chris Kremidas say that she "vamped" the gallant Chris out of a ring, but he spell didn't last and he "regretted." It all happened a couple of nights ago in a San Francisco cafe, whether the two went for cheer.

Arrested this morning at her apartment in Oakland, Mrs. Barand admitted having the man's ring, but said it was a joke. Several pawn tickets in her possession are being investigated.

H. C. CAPWELL CO. H. C. CAPWELL CO.



## Our Formal Style Revue

Our first post-war opening was pronounced the best and most satisfying by the thousands who saw it last night. In its helpful suggestions it solved the Spring clothes problem for many. The fashions adequately portrayed upon living models revealed the style changes in all their details and our guests of last evening surrendered to the charm of the new and spirited styles of Victory and Peace.

Every woman who loves beautiful and fashionable clothes and the materials for their making could not help but be delighted with these Spring displays.

Back of the magnitude of this achievement are thirty years of merchandising experience. Public confidence for over a quarter of a century has firmly established CAPWELL OPENINGS on the calendar of the city's most important events.

In this first post-war season, with the innumerable market obstacles to overcome during the readjustment period, a display of Fashions such as was seen last night is unmistakable evidence that this store is a merchandising and art-commanding institution second to none.

Thursday—Second and Last Display on Living Models Admission by Card Only



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Clay, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Sts.

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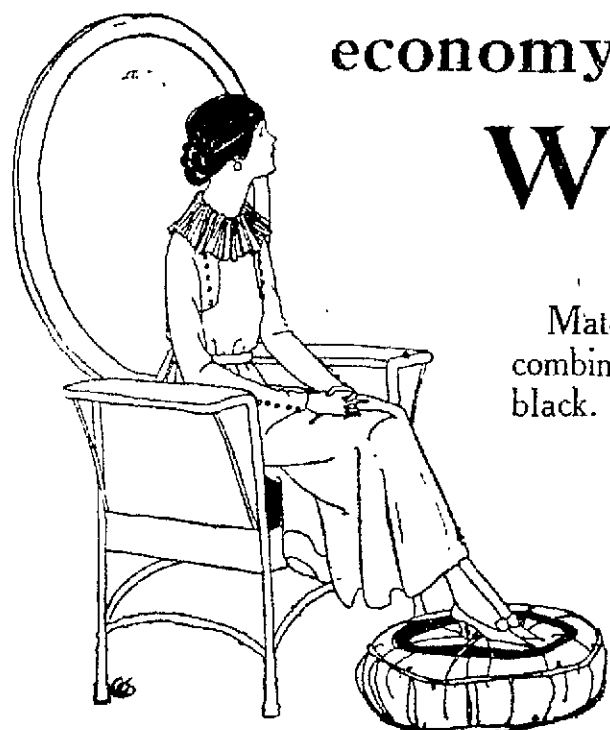
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## Spring Opening and Display in the BASEMENT STORE

A smart assemblage of newest

**Suits, Wraps, Dresses and Accessories**  
Attractive practical modes in which style and economy, wisely combined, give remarkable values



## Women's Silk Dresses

that are stylish, and new as women desire, yet inexpensive

Materials are crisp taffetas, lustrous messalines, crepe de chins and graceful Georgette crepe combinations. The colorings are Fashion's favorites for Spring, including, of course, navy and black. Never before have our Basement Store assortments been so beautiful and so complete—every garment is a credit to the art of designing. The prices are much lower than one would expect for such quality.

**\$14.95 \$16.95 \$18.45**  
and **\$21.75**

## Stylish Silk Petticoats

Crisp, shimmering petticoats of all-silk taffetas, come with jersey tops in all the new and popular shades in light and dark effects and changeables. Of heavy, durable quality and finished with wide handsome flounces and a two-clasp elastic belt. Of splendid worth!

—On Sale in the Basement Store only.



## Separate Skirts for Spring

Mostly of silks, plaid taffetas and handsome silk poplins, though there are some wool serges in the lot. You will find a great variety of colors and patterns to choose from, and the values are astoundingly good. Additional touches of style are found in the fancy girdles, gathered waists, novelty buttons and jaunty pockets

**\$6.95 and \$7.95**

(On Sale in the Basement Store Only)

## Clever New Spring Suits

of unusual style and **\$17.95** and **\$23.95**  
quality for only ...

Clever models, designed on the newest style lines, and fashioned from wool poplins, French serge and storm serge, in navy, black, brown and gray. Gay novelty linings and colored collars add a pleasing touch of brightness. Excellent workmanship throughout. You'd really expect to pay more for these smart suits, but by our buyer going East the Basement Store is able to offer splendid values.

(On Sale in the Basement Store Only)

## Capes, Coats and Dolmans

**\$12.95, \$14.95, \$16.95, \$18.95 and \$21.45**

## New Spring Models in R & G, Kabo and Regis Corsets

Fashions this Spring call for the slender silhouette and these corsets are designed to convey those lines to their wearers. Fashioned of pink, or white coutil, plain or brocaded, and prettily trimmed. A larger assortment of styles and sizes than ever before.

Prices \$2, \$2.48, \$2.89 to \$4

(On Sale in the Basement Store Only)

**Capwells**  
Clay, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Sts.











## CHILD GETS SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH IF CONSTIPATED

Look at Tongue! Then Give  
Fruit Laxative for Stomach,  
Liver, Bowels.

"California Syrup of Figs"  
Can't Harm Children and  
They Love It.



Mother! Your child isn't naturally  
cross and peevish. See if tongue is  
coated; this is a sure sign the little  
stomach, liver and bowels need a  
cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of  
cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't  
eat, sleep or act naturally, has stom-  
ach-ache, diarrhoea, remember, a  
gentle liver and bowel cleansing  
should always be the first treatment  
given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup  
of Figs" for children's ills; give a  
teaspoonful, and in a few hours all  
the foul waste, sour bile and fer-  
menting food which is clogged in the  
bowels passes out of the system, and  
you have a well and playful child  
again. All children love this harm-  
less, delicious "fruit laxative," and  
it never fails to effect a good "in-  
side" cleansing. Directions for  
babies, children of all ages and  
grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.  
Keep it handy in your home. A  
little given today saves a sick child  
tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask  
your druggist for a bottle of "Califor-  
nia Syrup of Figs," then see that it  
is made by the "California Fig  
Syrup Company."—Advertisement.

## SHE COULD JUST SHOUT FOR JOY

Accomplished Writer Tells  
How Tanlac Restored Her;  
Gains Twenty Pounds

"I feel just like shouting for joy  
whenever I think of the good that Tan-  
lac has done for me," said Mrs. Violet  
H. Harwood, 1235 Natoma street, San  
Francisco. Mrs. Harwood is an accom-  
plished writer and for five years was  
with the Colinet, published in Steven-  
son county and also for several years  
a valued contributor to the Mountain  
Herald at Boulder Creek. While living  
in Boulder Creek she received authority  
from the Great Council of Red Men of  
California, to organize a Tribe of Red  
Men in Boulder Creek and discharged  
the commission most acceptably.

"All of my trouble started about four  
years ago from an injury," she con-  
tinued, "which left me in a weakened  
condition and my stomach became so  
deranged that no matter how little I  
ate or what kind of food, I would be  
sick and have severe pains in my  
stomach, and also in my right side. The gas pressed  
around my heart and caused faint and  
dizzy spells to come over me and these  
spells got to coming so often and last-  
ing so long that I didn't dare to leave  
the house unless I carried with me a  
strong restorative and also had some-  
body go with me. One of the worst  
spells I ever had just before  
I started taking Tanlac, and it was  
brought about by my eating meat one  
day after I had been living on a mil-  
lard diet and that for several months.  
I fainted away at 3 o'clock in the after-  
noon and it was 5 o'clock in the morn-  
ing before I became conscious. I was  
told that I had high blood pressure and  
that there was nothing in the world  
that would do me any good and that  
I had only six weeks to live. I was  
about the same opinion for I  
not only had the awful stomach trou-  
ble but I was also on the verge of  
nervous prostration and was getting  
weaker every day. I had a constant  
pain over my kidneys, too, and such  
terrible headaches that I would  
almost go wild with pain. I was  
almost a wreck and for four years  
I had been under treatment without any  
relief.

"I started taking Tanlac soon after  
I had that awful fainting spell and it  
wasn't long before I began to feel bet-  
ter and stronger and soon I was nat-  
urally feeling cheerful and commenced  
to have an appetite. Soon I was eat-  
ing meat and potatoes and other heavy  
food that I hadn't been able to eat be-  
fore. I was able to go to work and  
dinner and I didn't bother me any more.  
I have kept taking Tanlac  
regularly with the result that I have  
gained more than twenty pounds in  
weight and all my troubles seem to  
have vanished. My blood is in fine  
condition now and I don't have that  
bother me a bit and that back to my  
back is gone, and I don't have head-  
aches any more. It is no trouble for  
me to do my household work and I  
am even able to help the neighbors with  
their sewing. I owe my health to  
nothing but Tanlac and I will praise it  
all the rest of my life. What a won-  
derful medicine. My sister has just  
written me from Georgia where her  
husband is in camp waiting to be dis-  
charged out that she has been taking  
Tanalac and has gained more than 10  
pounds on it. My son was suffering  
from carbuncles and other symptoms of  
poor blood and Tanlac has cured his  
system so that he has no trouble now  
at all."

Tanalac is sold in San Francisco and  
Oakland by The Owl Drug Company  
stores.—Advertisement.

**Stop Itching Skin**  
There is one safe, dependable treat-  
ment that relieves itching torture and  
skin irritation almost instantly and  
that cleanses and soothes the skin.

Ask any druggist for a 35c or \$1 bottle  
of Zemo and apply it as directed. Soon  
you will find that irritations, pimples,  
blackheads, eczema, blotches, ringworm  
and similar skin troubles will disappear.  
A little Zemo, the penetrating, satis-  
fying liquid, is all that is needed, for it  
banishes most skin eruptions, makes  
the skin soft, smooth and healthy.  
The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

If you saw it in THE TRIBUNE, tell  
them so. Thank you.

## 21 JAILED IN LOTTERY DEN CLEANUP RAID

Eighteen white men and three  
Chinese were arrested last night in a  
raid on a Chinese lottery den at 535  
Webster street. The haul was the  
biggest made in recent months by  
the police and was due to strategy.

The place is said to be owned by  
Ernest Lun, a prominent member of  
the Oakland Chinese colony and  
president of one of the Chinese tongs  
here.

Members of the vice squad, work-  
ing under Sergeant Charles Hamp-  
hill, secured entrance to the place  
by a ruse, pretending to be lottery  
players. A member of the squad,  
walking carelessly along the front  
of the place, turned suddenly as he  
passed the lookout, grabbed him and  
warned him against giving an alarm.

Members of the squad then got into  
the building and broke down the  
doors before the men inside knew  
what was up. The operatives who  
were on the inside effectually  
blocked the escape of any of the  
men.

The raid is part of the gambling  
crusade that was begun in Oakland  
two weeks ago, following charges  
made by the chief of police of San  
Jose that Oakland was the head-  
quarters for both white and Chinese  
lotteries. Corporal Thomas O'Neill  
and Policemen Sam Thornally and  
Mike Connolly lead the raid.

Beside the three Chinese arrested  
the following white men were ar-  
rested: Ludwig Liljedel, James  
Donaldson, Luigi Migoletti, Caffard  
Motada, James Kalb, Gus Lundgren,  
Frank Richi, Charles Perry, John  
Bonar, Ed Bell, Conestoga Nizara,  
Joakim Lemas, George Horn, Joe  
Erit, Mike Sheehan, Manuel Tony,  
Frank Jossion and Sam Weisbluth.

—Advertisement.

## MATTHEWS NOT MEN'S SPOKESMAN

Was "M. A. Matthews of Boiler-  
makers' Union 101," spoofing the San  
Francisco office of the Associated Press  
and M. J. McGuire, strike adjuster on  
the Pacific coast for the boilermakers'  
international, when he wired from Se-  
attle on February 22 that 80 per cent  
of the striking boilermakers there would  
return to work if guaranteed the pro-  
tection of the international?

Investigation discloses, according to  
statements issued today by the Asso-  
ciated Press and McGuire, that the  
message in question, which reads as  
follows, was sent by Rev. Mark A. Mat-  
thews, who is pastor of the First  
Presbyterian Church of Seattle, would  
appear to be somewhat removed from  
actual contact with the job of boiler-  
making or with boilermakers' union  
affairs:

"M. A. Matthews, International Rep-  
resentative Boilermakers, San Fran-  
cisco, Cal.  
"Have you the authority to order the  
boilermakers of the Seattle shipyards to  
return to work? Will you protect the  
union cards of all those who do return  
to work? Will you cancel the cards of  
the radicals who refuse to go to work?  
Please give me this information at once  
and authority to publish same. Eighty  
per cent of the men will return to work  
with your protection and you will gain  
their eternal gratitude. The bunch here  
are playing politics."

"M. A. MATTHEWS."  
McGuire, assuming this message to  
be from a responsible member of the  
Seattle Boilermakers' Union who was  
authorized to speak for "eighty per  
cent of the men," passed it along to the  
international officers for a decision. He  
also passed the message along to the  
Associated Press, and the latter passed  
it along to the country in general. Rev.  
Matthews was one of Mayor Ole Han-  
sen's strike mediators.

It now transpires, according to Mc-  
Guire, that Matthews was not author-  
ized to speak for the boilermakers, and  
that in attempting to do so he compli-  
cated instead of clearing up the ship-  
yard situation at Seattle.

At a meeting of the club last even-  
ing Spiro stated that he would en-  
deavor to establish a lower tax rate  
than the city now has, which he be-  
lieves can be accomplished by using  
the "strutted" economy in every  
branch of municipal government. He  
strongly urged the necessity of a city  
and county government. He declared  
that the future influence of women  
in municipal affairs would result in  
much good for Oakland. A com-  
mittee of 25 women have  
been appointed who will manage  
Spiro's campaign among the women  
voters.

**Dispute Over Town  
Taxes Goes to Court**

SAN JOSE, March 20.—A dispute at  
Mariposa over the town tax assessments  
brought the Superior Court here when  
the town brought suit against Joseph  
H. Pence, one of the wealthiest citizens  
of that community, to enforce an as-  
essment calling for the payment of  
\$200 in taxes. This is a double as-  
essment, the amount having been in-  
creased 100 per cent when the original  
tax became delinquent on August 1.  
The original assessment was displeasing  
to the residents, including Pence, who  
refused to pay it. They propose, it is  
said, to fight out in the courts not  
only the justice of the assessment, but  
also the rule adding a 100 per cent pen-  
alty for failure to pay disputed taxes.

**Communion Service  
to Be Held Sunday**

The annual communion service of the  
Young Ladies' Institute and the Y. M.  
I. of the Berkeley section will be held  
Sunday. Rev. A. J. Heneghan will be  
celebrant of the mass, which will be  
held at 4 o'clock at St. Anthony's  
church. Special music by the church  
choir will be rendered. Immediately  
following a breakfast will be served in  
St. Anthony's hall. The committee in  
charge is Miss Delphine Kenny, Miss  
Helen L. Rowe, T. C. O'Brien, E. F.  
Settoge and Walter D. Hayes.

# The War and Your Gasoline

The first of a series of three statements

For obvious reasons the following facts  
of interest to the public could not be pub-  
lished during the war. They affected a vital  
war necessity regarding which the Govern-  
ment required secrecy. But now that the  
war is won, we are at liberty to make the  
following statement of facts:

Highly volatile gasoline for  
fighting-aeroplanes was one of  
the war needs. The output of this  
special gasoline by all the refin-  
eries east of the Rocky Mountains  
was not enough, so California was  
called upon to furnish a large part  
of the supply. At the request of  
the United States Government  
the Pacific Coast Petroleum War  
Service Committee apportioned  
California's quota among such of  
the large refiners as were able to  
make this special gasoline.

The Standard Oil Company,  
being the largest of these, had the  
greatest quota to fill. We were  
glad to do our part. We supplied  
more than our quota of aviation  
gasoline.

Aeroplane engines, operating  
high in the air under conditions  
of extreme cold and rarefied at-  
mosphere, require a different gaso-  
line than engines operating on  
the ground. In fact, the needs are  
so special that the gasoline manu-  
factured for aeroplane use (often  
used at altitudes of from 20,000  
to 25,000 feet) would be utterly  
indifferent for use in automobile  
or other internal-combustion en-  
gines operated on land or sea.

Aviation gasoline has to be  
highly volatile. It must vaporize  
rapidly even in the extreme cold  
of very high altitudes. On its

rapid vaporization alone must often  
depend the lives of the men in the  
aeroplane. This gasoline would  
not be good for general use. It  
would lack power on the ground,  
it would not be safe, its loss in  
storage by evaporation would be  
great, and it would be expensive.

Making aviation gasoline for the  
Government took a very consider-  
able part of the low boiling point  
or highly volatile constituents of  
the crude oil, and, as a result, the  
gasoline left available for regular  
use lacked those qualities which  
assure easy starting of the automo-  
bile engine.

The Government's demand for  
aviation gasoline reached its maxi-  
mum in the late fall of 1918, and  
then for a period of about six  
weeks the deficiency of Red Crown  
gasoline in low boiling-point con-  
stituents or easy-starting qualities  
was most apparent.

Now that the war is won and  
the great demand for aviation  
gasoline has ceased, we are again  
able to offer the same grade of  
Red Crown gasoline as formerly,  
with the same full and continu-  
ous chain of boiling points—from  
the low to the high—which is  
necessary for easy starting, quick  
and smooth acceleration, high  
power and long mileage.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY  
(California)

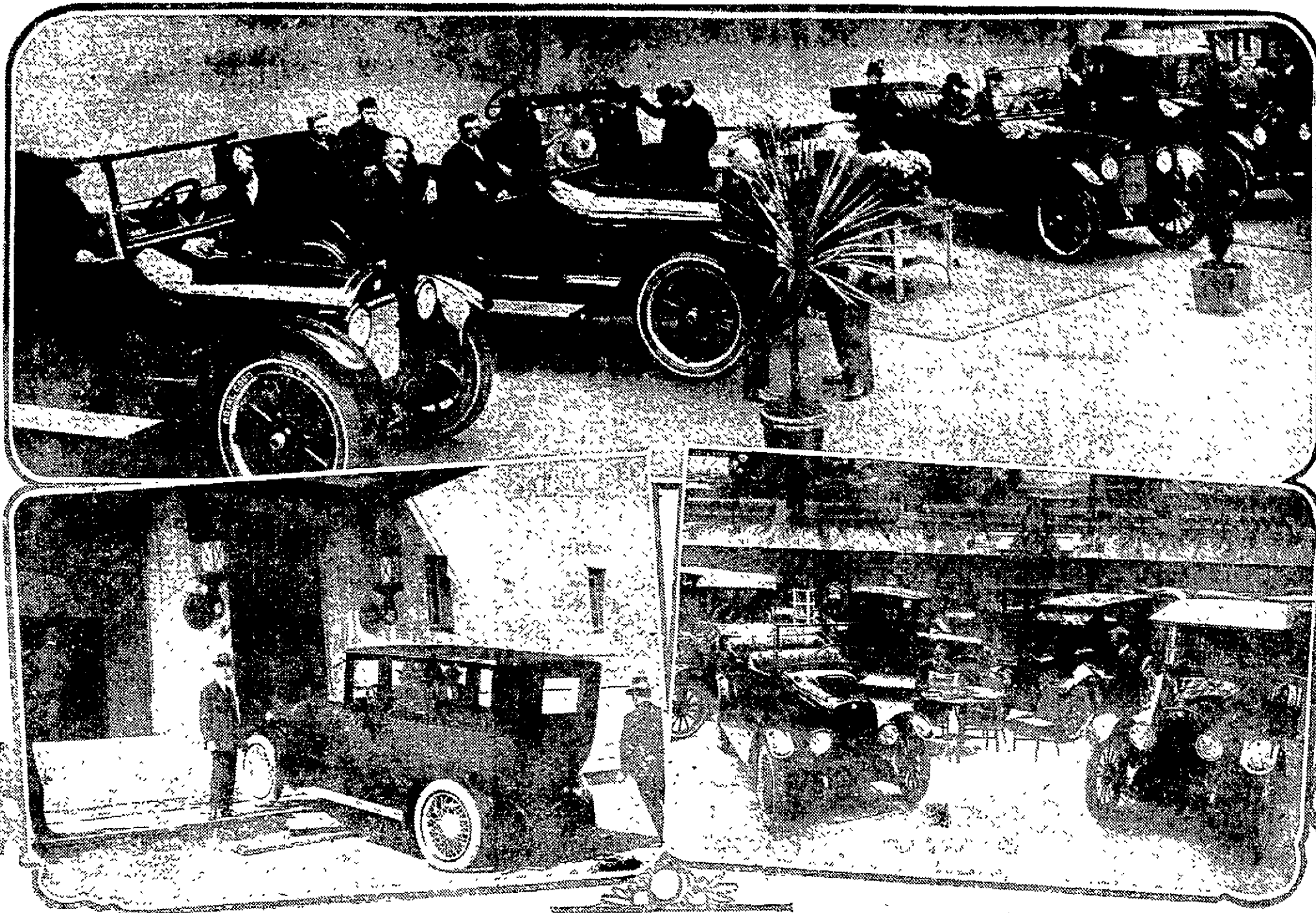




# SALES TREMENDOUS PROSPERITY OF TRADE

## CHECKS FROM BUYERS TELL OF OPTIMISM

Interesting displays at the Automobile Show in the auditorium which have received favorable comment from increasing crowds that have already viewed the motor car exhibits. Top view, the Buick booth; lower left, driving the 1919 Haynes, which arrived from the east yesterday, into the show headquarters; lower right, the Mitchell and Dort display of cars. On the extreme right of this photo is a 1919 Mitchell, one of the newest cars to be seen.



By JIM HOULIHAN.

Just how tremendous, if that word properly expresses the situation, the automobile business will be this season is beginning to be viewed quite clearly during automobile show period. With the end of the third day a majority of the dealers who are exhibiting have booked sales considerably greater than they counted possible in making their own estimates just prior to the first day of the present motor car exhibition.

An occasion of this kind forms a pretty good barometer of conditions. Salesmen get pretty definite expressions of what the public mind is thinking. Talk to any one of the men who are on duty at the Auditorium and you are very quickly told of the fact that every individual in the community who doesn't possess a motor now is doing some pretty serious thinking on the possibility of realizing the wherewithal to purchase some sort of a car. And it is typical of the American spirit that when the mind sets out on some purpose the disposition and energy labors with the spirit to accomplish the desired end.

**PROOF OF PROSPERITY.**

In our daily rounds of the show floor there is increasing proof of the fact that a great many cars are being sold. We haven't encountered a distributor who hasn't booked at least one sale and many of them are proud of the fact that orders closed since Monday have passed the figure five. The higher priced as well as medium or low priced makes have shared in the prosperity. Tuesday night C. D. Hand made a clean sale of a Mercer to a previously unknown prospect. Numerous are the instances where deposits have been secured within an hour after first meeting the customer.

There has been quite a large attendance of out-of-town visitors. Communities within a 50-mile range of Oakland have been represented by healthy-sized delegations. If the weather man betrays this class of visitors will make up a large portion of the closing days' crowds.

**NEW MODEL ARRIVES.**

The center of attraction yesterday was the arrival of the new 1919 Haynes Sedan, the first one which has come to California. Its presence at the show is made possible through the determination of Philip S. Cole, Haynes distributor here, and his partner, Charles Penfield, to show Oaklanders the very latest offering of this progressive firm. The model was only recently completed at the factory and an express shipment was required to speed it westward in time for exhibition at the Auditorium. Late Tuesday night it was taken off the car and hurried to the Cole establishment, where finishing touches were put upon it yesterday morning. Later it was driven to the Auditorium.

The 1919 enclosed model which is here is the four-door version and an undivided front seat wide enough to hold three. It is a seven-passenger type, is equipped with a heating system and has all metal body and an excess of aluminum in a dull oxidized silver. Upholstery is sort of a corduroy velvet of a neutral shading. The body is built by the Walker-Veils Company, a Chicago firm which has a reputation for its extremely fine work.

The motor is the same size as in 1918, but valves are larger. This latter feature, plus a new carburetor arrangement, provides more power. The chassis is practically unchanged from 1918.

**ANOTHER NEW MODEL.**

Another strictly new model which is getting a great deal of attention is the 1919 service Mitchell. This latest series has been on the coast little over two weeks and during the show it is causing a lot of favorable talk. It occupies a prominent position alongside a complete line of open and closed Dort models which the Mitchell-Dort Motor Sales Company has on display. This concern is one of the more recent establishments in the automobile business in Oakland and it has made a fine record in its short existence.

The Essex comes in for the praise that was expected of it first post-war car. It is now two months since the West first viewed the popular model and the salesmen of this line for the H. O. Harrison Company are getting healthy sized checks for the total Essex sales they are recording.

## CANCEL WAR WORK ORDERS SLOWLY

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The value of actual cancellations of war contracts up to February 27 totaled \$15,152,000, the department announced today. The value of contracts recommended for cancellation is \$2,911,000,000.

Work on most of the remainder of recommended but not actually canceled contracts has been suspended, it was announced.

The slow rate of cancellations, the War Department explained, is due to the need of determining settlements of claims of detailed inventories, and of a careful review of accounts and agreements of contracts and government agencies.

Twelve million dollars' worth of explosives have been ordered transferred from the War Department to the Department of the Interior for use in clearing land and road building, the announcement revealed. And 54 per cent of the department's surplus stock of 1,411,000 pounds of sodium nitrate has been arranged for disposal through transfer to the Department of Agriculture, sales of stock in Chile through the British pool, and sales through the United States nitrate board.

**GERMAN UNIFORMS JUNKED.**

COBLENZ, March 20.—Great piles of military stores worth millions of marks are lying in a hall in Frankfurt, Hesse, and are likely to be wasted unless soon care is taken, says the Westphalian Volksblatt. The supplies consist principally of army uniforms thrown in great heaps after the demobilization of the German army.

## DEALERS FIND TIME TO PUT OVER COMEDY

Harry Oliphant of the H. O. Harrison company, which handles the Dodge, Essex and Hudson cars, is rather a distinguished gentleman. He wears a suit that simply won't come off. At the Harrison company's exhibit at the auto show the smile or the carnation or something—probably the distinguished air—does the business and people just naturally stop and have a chat with Harry. It does not make much difference whether those who stop are interested in buying a new car or not. Anyway, they probably are after they have talked to Harry for awhile. But here's the real story.

Misled, or at least mistaken, by the distinguished air of Oliphant, an out of town Ford dealer who had dropped in on the show and who had been asked to "stick" around awhile and talk to a few people in the Ford exhibit booth—holled Harry. The latter, not knowing that the Ford man did not know he was a fellow exhibitor, entered into what he thought was a little bit of jest.

**SIGNS UP TO BUY CAR.**

To the enthusiastic description of the stranger's Ford talk he listened as though spell-bound, finally signing up for a Ford car, putting the necessary signature on the dotted line and everything. When asked in the sanest kind of way for a little money on the spot Harry looked rather disconcerted to say the least—but he stayed with the spirit of the game.

"Come over here," said Harry, leading the stranger to his own exhibit. "You've got me in a fine fix. I just bought a few Dodges, Essexes and Hudsons over here. Let's see if we can't make a deal."

Then he told the secret: Some body introduced the pair. Harry Oliphant of the H. O. Harrison company and E. C. Dick of Alameda.

**HERE'S A REAL BOOSTER.**

Edward Silva, with the Osen & Hunter Auto company, is only recently from Colorado where he listened to the Silva Auto company. However, Eddie was born and brought up in Oakland. In fact he could not be beaten in an Oakland boosting contest. Some men play golfers for fun, but Eddie's hobby is that of personally promoting the growth of Oakland's population. In his leisure time he writes letters to his friends and writes all over the country telling them about the wonderful opportunities in Oakland. As a result he has brought six families here in the past month. Many of the growers could take a tip from Eddie.

**AND THE LITTLE BOY LAUGHED!**

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"Then," said Mr. Wise Man, "I am very familiar with it. By the way, has it a wheel base?"

"No," solemnly replied "Tipperary," "none of the nineteen nineteen models have wheel bases. In fact the best cars are without the wheel base this year."

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## Witnesses "Fixed" By Mrs. Burman Charlie Is Baffled at Testimony

Charlie Burman, distributor of the Oakland Six and maker of the Burman truck, is "in bad" and no less a person than the beautiful Mrs. Burman tells the story on him.

Charlie is a member of the Sequoia club. Tuesday morning he told Mrs. Burman that he wished she would have certain things he liked for dinner that night. She agreed and made unusual preparations to give Charlie a feast. In the meantime he had forgotten that he was due that afternoon on the links of the Sequoia club. So about 5 o'clock in the afternoon he "phoned" Mrs. Burman and told her about it. In the meantime having forgotten about the special dinner.

**NO HURRY IN SIGHT.**

Well, the hours passed and Mrs. Burman began to wonder, about 9 o'clock, just what had become of her husband and "phoned" the club. At the club she was told that he was not there and had not been there that day. Mrs. Burman wondered as she gazed on what was once a wonderful dinner.

The following day Charlie was asked about the matter. He told Mrs. Burman that he was at the club. She remarked that that was rather funny. He asked her why. "Well," said Mrs. Burman, "I phoned the club and they told me you were not there."

Charlie was to say the least, just a little nervous.

"Well," said Charlie, "I can prove I was there. You come to the auto show with me tonight and I'll let you talk to some men who saw me at the club."

And that accounts for the reason why Mr. and Mrs. Burman strolled around the auditorium last night, Charlie stopping every once in a while.

Why does the honors at the show are large boxes of ribbon, green on the opening night, March 17 red for the remaining days. The ribbon completely hides the makers' name and if one is interested in knowing the name of the car they are forced to lift up the ribbon.

"Human nature's a funny thing," says "Tipperary" every time some one lifts the ribbon.

**BILL WEBBER FALLS.**

Bill Webber, manager of the Don Lee Oakland branch which is exhibiting the Cadillac brougham at the auto show, is understood by most of his friends to be a lot just sell automobiles for fun, but Eddie's hobby is that of personally promoting the growth of Oakland's population. In his leisure time he writes letters to his friends and writes all over the country telling them about the wonderful opportunities in Oakland. As a result he has brought six families here in the past month. Many of the growers could take a tip from Eddie.

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## GIRL 'RED' WIFE OF U. S. SOLDIER

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Miss Bluma Zalamnik, pretty Russian girl, who has been charged with conspiracy in a Hindu plot, turns out to be not Miss Zalamnik at all, but Mrs. John Noble Washburn, and thereby an American citizen.

She blushing confessed to her bridehood yesterday and to the romance which made her the wife of the young service man stationed at Williams Bridge, Va., with a medical unit.

Her bridegroom is the brother of Carleton W. Washburn, supervisor of the San Francisco Normal school, with whom she makes her home at 47 Potrero avenue. Awaiting his return, Mrs. Washburn is employed as a stenographer by the International Workers' Defense League. Formerly she conducted a class in Russian at the Y. M. C. A.

Her mother-in-law first suggested that the Russian girl and her son John were peculiarly suited to each other, according to the story which the bride tells, letters from stating their attitude toward life began entirely by correspondence until last November, when Washburn came to San Francisco on furlough and after a week the wedding was celebrated.

"We do not express ourselves so freely since our marriage," naively explains Mrs. Washburn, "since we found the government had objections to this was a free country to express myself freely in letters. It was these letters to Mr. Washburn that the government seized and used in bringing about my indictment."

There is nothing in the story that I was leading a Bolshevik movement in this country.

"My interest in Russian politics is great and I have favored the Soviet, but not entirely the Bolsheviks, who are but a political party. I have nothing to do with conspiracies in the United States. My father is a reactionary in Russia."

If you saw it in the TRIBUNE, tell them so. Thank you.

**"CUSTOM BUILT"**

**KISSEL**

MODELS AT THE SHOW

New in design, beautiful in finish. The real quality sensation at the Oakland show.

**Beautiful New Models on display**

Smart in appearance. Economical in operation. The greatest value for the money of any car at the big exhibit.

**Western Motors Co.**  
2000 Van Ness Ave.

**WESTERN MOTORS CO.**  
24th and Broadway

## SALES TALK IS HALTED BY BOY

Jack Taylor, with Earl C. Anthony Inc., dealers in Packards and Rees, tells a good one on himself.

"The funniest thing that's happened to me this week so far," said Jack, "was this afternoon. I had a big crowd around the engine of one of our new models. I was in great form—you know how it is—the weather—the spring in the air—the old man, glad feeling—saw, I was in the seventh heaven, when over that is. I was eloquent. I talked about that motor like it was my own child, but always there is a Jonah hanging around when you get to feeling your pants, too much. The Jonah in this particular case was a small boy who stood on the edge of my audience."

"Say, mister," he said, "what does that R. P. M. on there mean?"

"Oh, that," said I, "refers to the number of revolutions per minute the engine makes."

"Well, how many does it make when you are going seventy miles an hour?" the kid asked back.

"Empty steels!" I told him, quick, like that.

"Well, say, mister, what good does that do when you're twenty miles from away?"

**Chalmers Records Prove Chalmers Greatness**

The Chalmers holds four world's records which prove conclusively the power, speed, stability and endurance of the Chalmers car.

**POWER!**

The coveted 24-hour endurance record—a total of 1898 miles in 24 hours.

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**Lou H. Rose Company**

CHALMERS DISTRIBUTORS

Oakland Branch—2841 Broadway

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## NEW BUILDING IN FRESNO FOR AUTO AGENCY

L. D. Allen, president of the California Motor Sales Company, distributor of Cole Aero-Eight and Lexington cars, returning last week from an inspection trip to Fresno, announces that he has closed contracts for a new building in which he will house his Fresno branch. Plans for the building have been completed and construction will begin immediately. The show rooms will be ready for occupancy in June and Allen plans to be ready at that time to begin operations with a fine new line of Coles and Lexington motor cars and a selling organization which already is being formed.

The display and service building is to be one of the best and most modern of automobile houses, fronting 150 feet on Tuolumne and 75 feet on L street. There will be a one-story salesroom with spacious offices on a mezzanine floor, and a special feature in daylight service rooms. The establishment will represent an investment of \$50,000.

Allen, speaking of his Fresno extension, says: "I have been for some time anxious to tap the San Joaquin valley territory and since deciding to establish a branch in Fresno I am more enthusiastic than ever about prospects there."

"I am confident that the people of Fresno and the surrounding country will welcome the coming of such cars as the Cole Aero-Eight and the new Lexington models, that have proved so popular here. There is no doubt that the Fresno branch of the California Motor Sales Company will make a star record in Cole and Lexington sales and will continue the same standard of service and careful attention as the San Francisco and Oakland offices."

**GASOLINE GETS BACK ITS 'KICK'**

Automobilists who cursed about the poor quality and the high cost of gasoline during the war may now know the reason for this unfortunate situation. It is the fact that the cause for the poor gasoline was the need by our fighting aeroplanes for a highly volatile gasoline of low boiling point that could meet requirements in the extreme cold and rarified atmosphere of the upper air.

In a series of advertisements appearing in THE TRIBUNE the Standard Oil Company of California is giving the reasons for the deficient gasoline which was sold to American motorists during the late fall of 1918, the time during which the government demands for gasoline reached the maximum.

Now that the war is won and the great demand for aviation gasoline has ceased, the Standard Oil Company is able to offer the same grade of Red Crown gasoline as was supplied before the war. The product now being sold has the quality of having a full and continuous chain of boiling points, from the low to the high, which is necessary for the smooth and efficient operation of revolutions per minute the engine makes.

The necessarily strict censorship during the war prohibited the publication of these facts at that time.

home and the darn thing won't stop."

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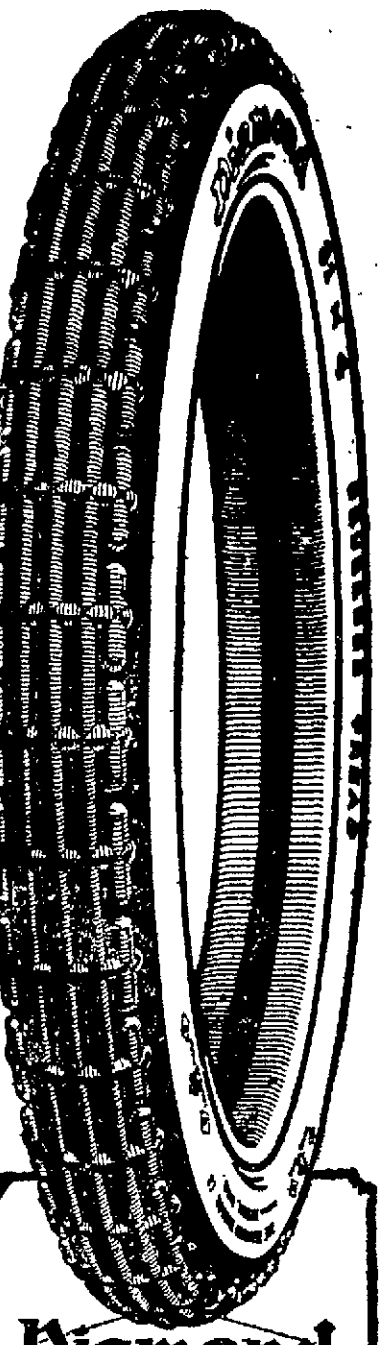
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**Diamond**  
SQUEEGEE TREAD  
Tires

**Take Out The Luxury Cost**

You don't need to be told to do that.

You have always wanted to—in everything.

Let us help you to take the luxury-cost out of motoring.

It can be done.

**Diamond**  
SQUEEGEE TREAD  
Tires

—the tires with the red sidewalls,

—they will take the luxury-cost out of tires;

—they will deliver just exactly the day-after-day service you expect of your car,

—they will give miles and miles and miles with the exact certainty that makes you feel comfortable and sure,

—and they will do all this at low cost per mile.

If you want a tire that will make you come back for more, buy one DIAMOND.

**GRANFIELD-BASTON TIRE & SUPPLY CO.**

Oakland Store, 2301 Broadway

San Francisco Store, 1440 Van Ness Ave.



WASHINGTON, March 20.—Farmers of the United States borrowed \$14,799,758 from the government during February, the farm loan board announced here today. This sum was divided among 4209 persons. Loans included: Spokane, 1,251,720; Berkeley, \$473,800.



# Man & Players

**VALESKA SURATT**  
COMING TO ORPHEUM.

Valeska Suratt, supreme sentimentalist of the stage, comes next week to the Oakland Orpheum. This is one of the most important engagements of the Orpheum season, for Miss Suratt comes direct from a series of film and stage triumphs. "The Purple Poppy" is to be her offering. Already seat reservations for next week are pouring into the Orpheum box office and the Broadway box office at Lehnhardt's.

A splendid bill of standard Orpheum vaudeville has been arranged to appear with Miss Suratt. Henry B. Toomer, recent feature of "The Headliners," has a new offering, "The Violets," a broad comedy affair by Frank McGettigan and Franky Ardel. Sidney Toomer, "The Violets," a broad comedy affair by Frank McGettigan and Franky Ardel. Sidney Toomer, "The Violets," a broad comedy affair by Frank McGettigan and Franky Ardel.

"Rheumatism Has Met Its Master"

## ACHING JOINTS

"From Torment and Pain to Comfort"

When your joints ache or you feel twinges of rheumatic pain in toes, ankles, legs, back, shoulders or neck. When every movement is pain and misery. Whether you call this Rheumatism, Sciatica, Gout, Lumbago, Neuritis, Stiff Neck you may find quick relief with

**Bayer-Tablets OF Aspirin**  
The "Bayer Cross" on Genuine Tablets

Adults—Take one or two "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" with water. If necessary, repeat dose three times a day, after meals.

"Proved Safe by Millions"

Buy only the original "Bayer packages." Made and owned by Americans entirely! 20 cent package—also larger packages.

Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monacocincentider of Salicylsacid

### WHAT IS THE BEST TONIC?

The Complete formula of Vinol is printed on each label showing that it is the greatest tonic in the world.

Why experiment with unknown preparations? If you need more strength take

# Vinol

The Well-known Cod Liver and Iron Tonic, Without Oil

THERE IS NOTHING BETTER

Weakness is the one great drawback to health after sickness or when one is run down. Vinol creates strength because it is a non-secret combination of the most famous body-building and strength-creating elements known—Beef and Cod Liver Peptones, Iron and Manganese and Glycero-phosphates. You who are run down, nervous, lack energy and strength, we know that Vinol is what you need.

DRUGGISTS RETURN YOUR MONEY if Vinol fails to benefit you.

the philosopher with ideas on eugenics and the others round out an effective

Next week is to witness the production of "Nancy Lee," the brilliant play by Eugene Walter. Morosoff's novel "Nancy Lee" is to be made into a film and scheduled for the near future.

"COMMON CLAY" is a feature at Kinema. "Common Clay," the outspoken drama which frankly attacks false social ethics, is featured at the Kinema this week.

"THE VERY IDEA" is popular at Fulton. Jane Urban, Paul Harvey and the other Fulton players are winning favor in "The Very Idea" at the Fulton playhouse this week. The infectious fun in the story of the philosopher who thinks children can be made as nearly perfect by a careful selection of parents and care in rearing as can be blooded horses and cattle and who, after writing a book on "eugenics" persuades his chauffeur and his butler to adopt the method.

FILM THRILLERS SHOWN AT AMERICAN. Theda Bara in "When Men Desire," a drama of exciting adventures and thrilling episodes, is shown at the American Theatre.

"Satan Junior," a comedy romance of original plot and laughable situations, is shown at the American Theatre.

SIX ATTRACTIONS ON T. & D. BILL. Believing in magnitude any of the pretentious programs offered at the Oakland T. & D. recently, the bill-to-day boasts six attractions. Nor is it an easy task to hit upon the headliner. "The Midnight Patrol" will hold an especial appeal.

To music lovers, Clarence Reynolds and his orchestra, offering nothing to be desired. The fourth and fifth attractions are contained in the continued engagement of the Lyra Ladies Quartet of vocalists and Harry Bloom, an entertainer of "big time" repute.

VARIETY GIVEN IN PARTAGES PROGRAM. Taking the role of a little Italian girl who has had a "falling out" with her sweetheart, the comedienne La Petite Elva has secured many admirers among those who have witnessed this week's show at the Oakland Pantages.

"POLLYANNA" TO BE SEEN AT YE LIBERTY. "Pollyanna," the gladsome comedy of good cheer, begins its engagement in this city at Ye Liberty Playhouse tonight. It has been a long time since so much local interest has been disclosed in a new play. Elva & Bringer and George C. Tyler have brought "Pollyanna" to the stage just at the time when playgoers are afflicted with morbid themes. "Pollyanna" will be acted by an excellent company.

MUSICAL MELANGE GIVEN AT COLUMBIA. Abe Cohen, tourist, Snooky Snookums, landlord and Lightning, the bell hop, are the three central figures in "You Have To Love Her," the musical comedy presented at the Columbia theatre this week by George X. White and his musical comedy family headed by Solly Carter.

"You Have To Love Her" includes comedy, singing, dancing, clever performers, pretty costumes, rich scenic effects, new costumes and other features of interest. The production will continue for the rest of the week with a Chorus Girls' Contest on Friday night when the members of the chorus, eighteen in number, hold their weekly frolic.

Next week's offering is called "A Big Revue," something new with Able and Snooky at their best and the beautiful chore us in dazzling new costumes.

In the future there will be matinees at the Columbia theatre every day but Friday, and two shows every night with the exception of Sunday when there will be three.

Supporting the two chief fun-makers this week and next are Fred C. White, Francis Young, Ira Robertson, Norma Leslie, Laura Vall and several others.

DOROTHY GISH IN COMEDY AT FRANKLIN. Dorothy Gish with her funny little steps is an efficient "Boots" at the Franklin all this week.

As a London "slavery" she creates a role full of comedy, romance, and a touch of melodrama, with action every minute. The Little Disturber challenges all the world when it comes to a fight.

Roscoe Karns and Tom Mix appear in the two comedy offerings, and there is a Matt and Jeff cartoon as well as a Kinosgram of world events on the same program.

FAMOUS SOPRANO WILL SING HERE. Madame Frances Alda, the Metropolitan's great soprano, who will delight Oakland's music lovers with her wonderful singing at the Auditorium theatre on Tuesday, March 25, at 8:15 p. m., has risen to her place alongside the foremost artists of the day with comparative swiftness, due to the exceptional beauty of her voice and her constant effort to bring to the height of its fulfillment the glorious gift of a larynx. Providence has bestowed upon her endowed with every attribute required by a lyric artist of distinction. Mme. Alda has made the most of these gifts in manner befitting one of her rare intelligence and industry.

romance, patience, travel, triumph and a score of other living subjects. That what was true in the days of Jenny Lind and of Patti is just as true today is exemplified in the career of Frances Alda, whose rise to fame has been meteoric, for less than 20 years ago she was a child living in far-away Australia, for like another famous song bird, Alda comes from the Antipodes.

While the future prima donna was still in her teens, she journeyed to Europe to commence serious study for the operatic stage. Three strenuous years of study in Paris under Madame Marchesi followed, and Madame Alda chosen by Massenet himself to sing the title role in his opera "Manon" at the Opera Comique. So great was the young singer's success that she was immediately engaged as prima donna for the "Manon" at Brussels, and from that time on the great soprano has had triumph after triumph, since then Mme. Alda has won many successes in numerous roles, not alone in the Metropolitan at New York, but with the Boston, Chicago and Montreal organizations.

The Alda voice is a lyric soprano of quite exceptional beauty and timbre, and remarkable for a crystalline purity of tone, which constitutes one of its greatest fascinations. Madame Alda rejoices in the possession of a personality as well as a voice. One has but to look at her strongly outlined features to see that underneath all the beauty of coloring and outline, there is unquenchable determination and an abundance of individuality. Nature has been prodigal to the prima donna, for having given her beauty and voice, she has then freighted the combination with brain.

Tickets for the Alda recitals are now on sale at the usual place. Madame Alda will also give a recital at Assembly hall, Stanford, on March 27.

MARRIAGE TANGLES. FULTON, Mo., March 20.—Frank Martin is his own brother's brother-in-law. Martin married his stepmother. His brother married her sister.

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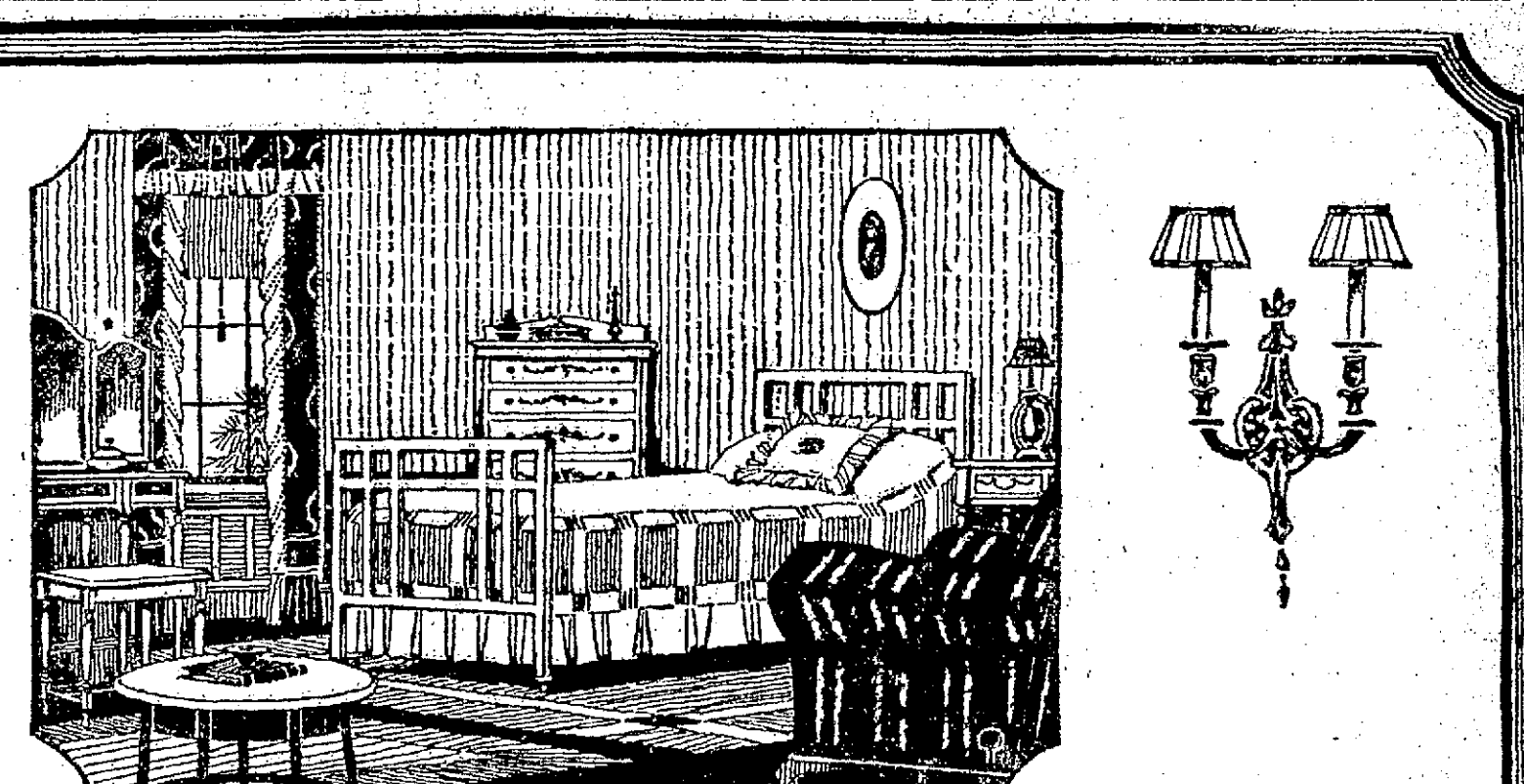
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## VISIT OF THE NAVAL COMMITTEE.

It is always a cause for deep satisfaction when a committee of Congress visits the Pacific Coast. California could desire nothing better than that every member of Congress should visit the State and become personally acquainted with its problems and its advantages.

Special interest centers, however, in the tour of inspection of the congressional committee on naval affairs, which will reach the Eastbay district on Saturday. The committee is going over practically the same ground as was covered by the Helm naval base commission. It is checking up on the recommendation of the commission of experts and getting first hand ideas as to conditions and needs of the naval administration in the Pacific. Inasmuch as the Helm commission recommended that the proposed new naval base be located on the tide flats west of Alameda city, the members of Congress will make a thorough study of the Eastbay district.

A formal welcome has been arranged for the committee by the officials and chambers of commerce of Oakland and Alameda, and every facility for obtaining information will be at the committee's disposal. But THE TRIBUNE is confident that it is justified in saying for all the people of this district that the visit of the naval affairs committee is regarded as an occasion for deep satisfaction and congratulation. The people are glad that the committee will be introduced to the many features that distinguish the continental side of San Francisco Bay.

## THE AUTOMOBILE SHOW.

The comprehensive automobile exhibit in the Municipal Auditorium and the thousands of interested visitors that throng the great arena each day is sufficient proof that Oakland is in the class of large cities that stage successful automobile shows. It is also demonstrated that Oakland is one of the important distributing centers for motor vehicles. All types and all makes of pleasure cars and commercial trucks, handled by Oakland dealers, are on exhibit and are exciting the admiration of the thousands of owners and prospective owners in the Eastbay district.

And once again the utility of the Auditorium is emphasized. The staging of an automobile show of the first magnitude is a big problem, but it has been successfully solved in the large arena. The people are daily becoming more appreciative of this magnificent and useful edifice they have erected for their own comfort, instruction and recreation.

## A WANTON CRIME.

One of the most dastardly crimes in the history of this State was committed in Oakland Tuesday evening. Mrs. George D. Greenwood, member of a prominent California family, who had given offense to no one, but who had always taken a prominent part in civic and benevolent work, particularly during the period of the war, was slain in the yard of her home by an assassin's bomb. Apparently the motive of the crime was blackmail. A demand had been made on the Greenwood family for \$50,000. But it may go deeper than that. The work is very similar to the bomb murders in connection with the preparedness day parade of two years ago and the attempt to blow up the home of Governor Stephens in Sacramento. There are phases which strongly suggest the wanton lust to murder of the anarchist and the "reds" of Russia and other countries.

That such crimes should be possible is a damning indictment of any community. The responsibility for them is divided. It must be shared by dilatory and lackadaisical courts, by inefficient police departments, by foolish citizens of suspected intelligence who extend hospitality to murderous bomb-throwers for the "thrill" it gives them, by federal officials who proceed in a half-hearted way with the deportation of alien criminals, by the vicious-minded American citizens who try to interfere with the deportations, by the disloyal persons connected with universities who plead for leniency for convicted traitors and

enemy lovers, by publicity organs that print briefs in defense of crime and outlawry.

Is the moral and spiritual conscience sunk to so low a stage that it will not be stimulated to a realization of the public duty by this latest unspeakable crime? That duty is to see that crime is punished and that foolish sentimentality and overt sympathy for criminals cease to clog the wheels of justice and orderly, safe government. The city, State and federal police authorities are under the necessity of capturing the murderer of Mrs. Greenwood, and every good citizen who can aid in this and other tasks of stamping out organized crime should do so willingly and without a formal invitation.

## THE CASE OF ANSELL AGAIN.

Secretary of War Baker, during his brief sojourn in San Francisco, announced most emphatically that he was in favor of the league of nations. The argument for this league is that it will enable the administration of justice on an international scale, and through this miracle prevent, or at least lessen, the danger of future wars.

On the same day Mr. Baker reached San Francisco the *Official Bulletin*, published by the United States Committee on Public Information, of March 10, was delivered by the postoffice to those persons receiving it. In this issue is printed, at government expense, the correspondence between Secretary Baker and Major General Enoch H. Crowder, judge advocate general of the army, regarding Colonel Ansell and the latter's criticisms of the army courts-martial system. Colonel Ansell was formerly a brigadier general on duty in the judge advocate general's office, but following his testimony before a committee of the Senate he was reduced to the rank of a lieutenant colonel and relieved of certain of his important duties. The correspondence consumes over three pages of the *Bulletin*. It has been printed also in the *Congressional Record*.

The use of all the government's facilities for giving publicity to General Crowder's statement regarding Colonel Ansell is appreciated. That is one angle of the case and the public is glad to know it. But there is another phase of the severe indictment by Colonel Ansell of the courts-martial system and the officers of the general staff of the army regarding which Mr. Baker has not been so liberal in supplying the public with information.

Colonel Ansell has addressed to the Secretary of War a reply to General Crowder's letter—"in reply and refutation of" the Crowder statement. That reply was delivered at the war office on March 11th. According to reports from Washington it has been telegraphed to Mr. Baker. But it has not been given the publicity with which General Crowder and the Secretary of War have favored themselves.

Before one qualifies to speak in favor of the proposed league of nations he ought to exhibit justice and fair play in his own official family. He ought to be able to realize that arbitrary methods of repression cannot silence such a courageous and honest voice as appears to be possessed by Colonel Ansell. Such tactics can only cause temporary delay. His reply to the Crowder epistle will be made public. When the Senate committee investigating the War Department reassembles Colonel Ansell may be required to read it into the record. Senator Chamberlain has already served notice that it must be made public.

The people want to know both sides of the courts-martial controversy. Secretary Baker should not expect them to approve a policy of the government of giving one side and suppressing the other.

Secretary of War Baker is quoted in a public statement as saying that when the armistice was signed the War Department had perfected a self-operating airplane that would fly by itself for 150 miles and land within fifty feet of its intended destination, depositing sufficient explosive to lay three city blocks in waste. If Mr. Baker used the word "perfect" he was indulging a slight exaggeration. If the device had been perfected it would have been tried in battle. The German government has not reported the encountering of such an implement of warfare.

## A DISTURBING INTIMATION.

There is something positively alarming in the interview with Herbert Hoover, cabled from Paris, in which he is quoted on the wheat prospects for the current year. He admits that present prospects indicate a yield of 1,000,000,000 bushels for 1919, which under ordinary conditions would mean an abundance, since it is an increase of 100,000,000 bushels over the crop of 1918. But he directs attention to the fact that the wheat production of Russia, India, Bulgaria, Serbia and Rumania has been so cut down that they have become importing instead of exporting nations, while the Australian crop is small and the Argentine crop no larger than usual. Therefore, he says to all present appearances it should be possible to market the whole of next year's crop without loss to the government, and "it appears to me that the world price of wheat, if there is to be a free market, may be above \$2.25."

Thus it seems that the people of the United States, facing the prospect of a bumper wheat crop, are threatened with short rations and war-time prices because the Bolsheviks of Russia have destroyed the agricultural industry in that country and because either wheat-growing countries have not been so fortunate as the United States. It is bad enough for the American public to struggle under the necessity of paying the farmers of the United States the government-guaranteed price of \$2.25 a bushel, which will mean a tax of \$1,000,000,000, but to have the intimation given by the director-general of food supplies for the world that we may even have to stint ourselves in order to make allowance for those not so well provisioned, and also may have to submit to famine prices, with our own granaries overflowing, is really disquieting. The American people are philanthropic, charitable, considerate. They have shown in every emergency, and in this instance more conspicuously than in the great war just ended, but the burden laid upon them should not be made too heavy, even in the name of philanthropy. The government's first consideration is due the people of this land.—Washington Post.

## NOTES and COMMENT

It has been borne in upon us again that any dilly-dallying with those having anarchistic tendencies is highly dangerous to the community.

Secretary Baker made a good impression in this vicinity, though he was not intimately versed in some thumb-biting that has been going on about the bay. His was a whirlwind visit, and in fact his job has been of a nature to get him into the whirlwind way.

Dr. Von Kuehlmann says that the Germans will be in Paris by 1925. As emigrants they might have a chance except for the French memory, which is certain to endure longer than that.

The censorship keeps up in spite of the fact that Creel has quit. It may be that Creel has been too abundantly blamed in this connection. It is possible that the secret of his apparent popularity with the administration was the need of a goat.

Germany obtained possession of Heligoland while England was looking the other way. It has become such a formidable naval base that the world powers had to stand in to rectify the oversight. Heligoland is to be demilitarized.

Hon. Elihu Root is not aspiring to the presidency. There have been indications of this right along, one of which was his own disclaimer. But an unqualified proof is afforded in the fact that he has become the chief counsel for the wets in their effort to defeat the war prohibition measure.

Such a despatch as the one to the effect that Great Britain has entered into an agreement by which it is to receive 30,000 tons of potash from Germany greatly confuses and mystifies, and it is but fair to suspect that it lacks in exactness. It is difficult to believe that any such commerce has been arranged.

The decision of the King and Queen of Belgium to pay a visit to General Pershing making a considerable journey for the purpose is a graceful tribute to a man and a people.

If the state economy committee's report is adopted and followed a saving of \$288,000 can be effected; which is not much, but something. The statement that only \$113,000 would be saved by cutting out superfluous commissions and unnecessary offices may possibly suggest that the pruning knife was not ruthlessly wielded.

The deference that is being shown and the respect that is being paid the Salvation Army by earnest men in all walks of life is proof that the helpful hand extended by this organization in the recent great emergency was taken account of and appreciated.

Ole Hanson continues to perform. He has removed a civil service commissioner who went on an accused anarchist's band. He didn't consider it a good example for a public official to set. This is putting it about as amiably as appears to be possible.

We are reminded of the blessing of being out from under railroad octopus and enjoying the advantage of federal management by the increase of the passenger rate to 3 cents a mile. And at that the deficit continues to grow.

## SPIRIT OF THE STATE PRESS.

Kern county has between 5000 and 10,000 automobiles in service, one car for every six people or less. But the number of people who own machines will be greatly increased if Henry Ford's intimation that he will place a car on the market for \$250 is carried out.—Bakersfield Californian.

Notwithstanding the attitude of the sheriffs of the state in opposing the measure that would place the task of transporting the insane in the hands of trained attendants, Senator Carr will make a fight for the passage of his bill, which has been unfavorably reported on by the committee. Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner, superintendent of the Oregon hospital at Salem, was before the state board of control, explaining the operation of the system in that state, where the average cost of moving insane persons from Portland to Salem has been reduced from \$16 to \$5.—Sacramento Union.

What our high school girls wear or wear is not of the slightest importance in the larger equation of San Diego's community. Nobody expects themselves has any right to dictate whether their apparel shall be "distinctive" or "uniform"—"individual" or in "lively." It is, therefore, wasted soap to tell these young women, "standing on the threshold" and aware that "over the Alps lies Italy," that "we can scarcely imagine a more wholesome, pleasing and economical aspect than that of 500 or more bright-faced high school girls, clad in white middie and blue serge skirts, who will enjoy their more expensive clothes all the more outside of school hours."—San Diego Tribune.

The answer given to the governor by the president of the local Chamber of Commerce that Berkeley-trained teachers will not teach in the rural schools furnishes one of the best arguments in support of the school building to be used for the training of teachers in agricultural and industrial subjects. It is not conceivable that the better-dressed, chocolate-chapping, military cape-wearing flappers of the university will flock to teach in schools like those located at Vina, Cana, Nori, Nelson and Honcut. But the graduates of the Chico Normal, while not invariably eschewing chocolates, and not averting themselves to presentable attire, will and do undertake the hard and remote jobs of teaching.—Chico Enterprise.



## TODAY 20 YEARS AGO.

A new library building urged in annual report of Oakland library trustees, which announces 164,000 the circulation of the free service and 27,775 volumes on the shelves.

Oakland postmaster announces that by July 1 a free delivery service will probably be put in operation in annexed territory, including Golden Gate and Temescal.

A board of trade is organized in Livermore.

Raymond Russ is appointed chief census marshal at a salary of \$5 per day to be in charge of all deputies for the purpose of taking a school census by the board of education.

Spring Valley Water Company employs 80 men on tunnel and dam this side of Sunol to be used in transmission of water in Alameda creek to San Francisco.

## OCEAN GOSSIP.

What are the wild waves saying? Listen, perhaps you'll hear, As they rush and roar on the Ocean's floor and gossip from year to year.

Sometimes they speak of a ship that's lost—

Foundered and sank in a gale.

Sometimes they speak of a happier trip—

Two sweethearts out for a sail.

Sometimes they come with a rum-ble and crash

Like the sound of a battle's roar.

And they gnash and rend at the base of a cliff.

Like they'd tear it loose from the shore.

But the sea is not angry—it's trying to tell

Of the wonderful sights it sees.

And the cliff understands. It passes along

The tale to each vagrant breeze.

And nobody else seems to understand.

But the cliff, the breeze and the beach—

This Ocean Gossip the waves bring it within your reach.

GEORGE J. GOULD.

Oakland, March, 1919.

## A NEW JUDGMENT OF PARIS.

Beauty contests are numerous but that held at an artists' ball in New York and involving the award of a golden apple to the fair prize winner by a jury of five professional delineators of beauty has obvious claims to serious consideration. Will any layman care to challenge the decision of these experts? Here is no judgment of an untutored shepherd on Mount Ida but the solemn pronouncement of men to whom we owe the creations of feminine loveliness on the covers of popular magazines and on war posters.

Yet the award of the apple to "a brunette with blue-gray eyes, five feet four inches in height," may provoke criticism. Looks, of course, are not a matter of inches, but will partisans of blond beauty accept the decision as final? Will champions of the tall and willowy type rest content? The Cleopatras are all well enough, but are there no prizes for the Helens?

It is likely that a new apple of discord has been thrown among the fair by this judgment. No doubt the small, brunette type of beauty preponderates in New York and a plebeian would probably sustain the verdict. At any rate, a new face has apparently been found for the adornment of magazine covers and the periodical literature returns to a peace basis, and khaki-clad types give way to the old familiar and eternal feminine.—New York World.

## What is doing TO-NIGHT.

San Francisco Symphony concert, Harmon Gymnasium, U. C.

School bonds mass-meeting, Berkeley high school.

Piedmont-Park, No. 120, N. S. G. W., celebrate thirty-first anniversary, Native Sons' Hall.

Matt Wahrahauf speaks, Covenant Hall.

Two plays presented, Lockwood school.

Edwin R. Jackson speaks, American Institute of Banking.

Orpheum—John B. Hymer.

Fulton—"The Very Idea."

Ye Liberty—"Are You a Mason?"

Pantages—"Twelve Tally-Ho Girls, T. & D.—The Midnight Patrol."

American—Theda Bara.

Kinema—"Common Clay."

Franklin—Dorothy Gish.

Broadway—Feature pictures.

Columbia—"You Have to Like Her."

Lake Merritt—Boating.

What is doing TO-MORROW.

Rev. Charles S. Price lectures, Clawson school; evening.

Royal Neighbors give basket social; evening.

Reading of "The Never Pandors," Harmon Gymnasium, U. C., 5 p. m.

Two plays presented, Lockwood school; evening.

Durant of women "at home," 2731 Durant avenue, Berkeley, 4 to 6 p. m.

Phi Beta Kappa Society dinner, Town and Gown Club, Berkeley, 7 p. m.

International "mixer," Stiles Hall, U. C., 7:20 p. m.

Board of Education candidates speak, Lockwood school, 2:30 p. m.

## THE GENERAL OPINION.

In an eastern town to which was submitted a referendum proposing an increased street car fare, a parade was formed carrying a placard with the sentiment: "We think the company needs a six-cent fare, but we are opposed to paying it." This philosophy was unbeatable.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

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"It was fine of you to remember me," said the guest cheerfully, "but of course I shouldn't have minded it at all if you hadn't."—Answers, London.

The Man—"Well, it takes two to make a quarrel, so I'll shut up."

The Woman—"That's just like a contemptible man! You'll sit there and think mean things."—Detroit Free Press.

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The simple life of the savage has passed away. His simple customs and food have been replaced by the complex life of civilization. Pickles can now be purchased in abundance at the corner grocery store by school children, and even adults sometimes permit themselves to eat pickles, and thus allow the acid in close contact with the hard enamel of the teeth to act as a veritable poison against its well being.

Like pickles, candy, too, is eaten in abundance, and the excessive sweets soon become acid in the mouth.



## WOMAN, ILL, WANDERS INTO LAKE; DROWNS

Suffering from a severe headache, Mrs. Alice Ready, wife of John Ready, 1016 Seventh avenue, wandered into Lake Merritt some time last night and was drowned.

The body was found this morning by E. A. Rooney, 462 Crescent avenue, as he was on his way to work. It was taken to the morgue, where an autopsy will be held, but there is no suspicion on the part of the police that death was anything but accidental.

According to the police report Mrs. Ready was subject to violent headaches, caused by abnormal blood pressure, these sometimes being of such intensity as to cause temporary blindness. Captain James T. Drew says that she may have walked into the lake while stricken by one of these. This, he says, is further indicated by her note to her husband, which says: "John—I have a headache; I am going out to get some fresh air—Alice."

Mrs. Ready had been subject to the headache spells for several years, according to her husband.

## Swedish Picnic to Be Held Next Sunday

The annual picnic of the Swedish American Political club, which has been held for the last twenty-nine years and has become the big yearly event of the Swedish citizens of the bay and interior cities, will be held at Shattuck park next Sunday. With right weather conditions the committee in charge estimate that 15,000 merry-makers will take part in the program. Many of the best-known athletes in Swedish circles will take part in the races and games. A singing feature will be given by the Svea male chorus, one of the best-known singing organizations in the bay cities.

The Swedish American Political club is the oldest Swedish organization in the bay region and numbers several thousand members. The committee members include E. C. Johnson, K. E. Hanson, John O. Gustafson, P. Swenson, J. M. Nelson, N. O. Anderson, P. Swanson, R. Alquist, Ernest Johnson and B. Bergstrom. A. W. Gustafson, Emil Carlsson and O. O. Lund.

## Make Her

Radiant with happiness when you go home tonight. Show a real thoughtfulness as you used to do. The little deeds in life count most to "her" and will keep the youth in her smile. Try sending home National Ice Cream.

## GIRL LOVES "CAVE MAN" CAPTOR BUT IT'S UP TO THE LAW AND MA

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Juan Pablo Reyman practiced the real "cave man" stuff on Miss Josephine Castro, pretty 16-year-old sweetheart, yesterday, and Miss Castro liked it so much that she surrendered her objections and went nakedly to the Hall of Justice, confessing her love. The course of true love did not run smoothly, however, for Policewoman Mrs. Katherine O'Connor was in Justice Barnett's office when the young couple came in, and Policewoman Mrs. Katherine Eisenhart, like Fate, was descending upon them and Mrs. Castro was sending wild messages "that her child was being kidnapped" to the undoing of the romance. Josephine is at the Detention House. Reyman, the cave man, has been arrested on a charge of kidnapping. It happened so: Reyman, in love with Josephine,

## SHRINE SELECTS BUILDING SITE

Ahimsa Temple, Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, held its regular stated session at its headquarters in the Pacific building last night. The meeting was exceptionally well attended as many important matters were scheduled to come before the temple. Five new members were taken in. The building committee made its report regarding the selection of a site and building for the permanent headquarters of Ahimsa Temple, and the temple by unanimous action directed the purchase and the building committee to proceed with the acquisition of the property.

The speaker of the evening was Noble Ezra W. Decoto, who in an eloquent speech described the ideal conditions existing all over the world and counseled the members of Ahimsa Temple to do their duty in upholding the traditions of the United Nations and its present form of democratic government. The keynote of his address was "contentment," caused by proper living conditions, such as this country offered to every human being willing to perform his share of the work of progress.

Major Walter J. Petersen, who but a few days ago returned from the battle fronts in France, was given a great ovation by the assembled nobles. During the banquet which followed the business session of the shrine, Noble Petersen gave an interesting talk, telling of his experience while in Europe and winding up with an earnest appeal to put down Bolshevism wherever it may be found.

Mrs. Minnie Carter and Miss Edwards furnished a very interesting musical program after the conclusion of the banquet.

## DAY-OLD BABE DESERTED NEAR CHURCH FOUNT

With his eyes hardly opened in this noisy, whirling world, and not realizing yet that his mother did not love and care for him, a tiny chap, not 24 hours old, was found last night in St. Anthony's Catholic church. Today at the Baby Hospital association, loving hands and tender hearts are yearning over the little waif. No mark or written message indicates how or why the baby boy came to be placed in the church or what extremely moved those to whom he should be dear. The small man child is free to choose a mother for himself, or to be chosen by a mother who yearns for baby hands of her own. Moreover, he is pronounced a perfect child.

Just as the western sun was touching the golden steeples of the church, Mrs. Mary Golding, housekeeper in the parish house, came upon the infant in its rude nest placed near the holy water fount. A cracker box was his resting place and a bath towel his covering. Over it was spread an old faded blanket.

Mrs. Golding gathered up the tiny mite and carried him to Father Quinn, pastor of St. Anthony's. Arrangements were made immediately for his care at the West Oakland Home.

## Machinist Held on Auto Theft Charge

Tony Bastiani, a machinist, is under arrest on the charge of attempting to drive away an automobile at the corner of Tenth and Franklin streets last night. He was arrested according to the police, while cranking up the car and is being held for investigation.

## BROTHERS IN CLASH OVER DOAK SANITY

Bedfellows together over forty years ago, playmates and schoolmates, Fred M. Doak, manager of the Standard Corrugated Pipe Works of San Francisco, and Dr. John L. Doak, his brother, faced each other today in the courtroom of Judge John S. Church. The former was accusing witness and the latter was defendant and attorney in his own behalf in the hearing as to his sanity. The witness shrunk visibly from answering the questions put to him by the defendant brother.

"You ask me to say something that I dislike to say, John," said the witness, when the defendant asked his brother upon what he based his belief that he is insane.

"Go right ahead and say it," the accused brother demanded.

"Your actions all your life," the witness replied. "You have always acted like a crazy man. We all your brothers have been in fear of you—scared to death. Before you killed my brother Sam we were afraid you would kill some of us. I was always afraid it would be me. You have threatened me not once, but time after time. Going away back when we were at school together, I had to quit school on your account when we were at Springfield. You wouldn't study, the faculty were always after me on your account, and you were always fighting."

"Is it not a fact that you quit school because you had an itching at the heart that you would someday get you were in love, and wanted to get married?" the defendant asked.

"Brother D. P. Doak was paying my way and I quit and went to work for \$50 a month," the witness replied.

FRED M. DOAK TESTS.

The witness on direct examination had related an incident occurring ten months ago when John L. Doak went to his office in San Francisco and created a disturbance. He was ordered to leave and he made a pass as if to draw a gun. The witness, though unarmed, made a similar motion, when John L. Doak dropped his hand and went out, saying as he left, "I will get you before sundown." The witness said that the threat to "get" some of the boys was of common occurrence.

On cross examination the defendant tried to show that the two had not met since 1915, in the Southern Pacific ticket office, when John L. Doak was released from Alameda.

"That was the time when you gave me a 10 cent for money to go away with," the witness replied.

HELPED BY BROTHERS.

It was brought out that all the boys have always contributed to the alleged black sheep's support. When you asked the witness how he expected to have to go to and ask you how much you wanted," the witness said.

D. P. Doak, said to be a millionaire, connected with the steel business, according to the witness, has expended \$100,000 on the wayward but clever brother.

"Is it not true that you are the closest-fisted one of the family and that you never let a dollar go out of your hand?" the defendant asked.

"Why, John, I have given you money for forty years," the brother replied.

"JOHN" DOAK VS. "MR." DOAK.

During the cross-examination the defendant addressed his brother as "Mr. Doak," while the witness addressed the accused as "John." The witness in response to questions said he is a farmer. Pressed for information he said he was connected with D. P. Doak in the steel business and other enterprises, with his home in Napa and his office in San Francisco.

The accused made an effort to discredit the witness by attacking his character, but was restrained by the ruling of the court.

Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner of the Oregon Asylum for the Insane was on the witness stand almost the entire day yesterday in the hearing as to the sanity of Dr. J. L. Doak, who is conducting his own defense before Judge John S. Church. Dr. Steiner was under cross questioning by the defendant.

It was apparent from the questions that Doak sought to lay a foundation for a damage suit against the State of Oregon for alleged negligent incarceration in the Oregon penitentiary. He sought in vain to get the witness to say that he (Doak) has been illegally insane ever since 1912, but Dr. Steiner would not answer his questions in response to the questions.

Doak contends that it was illegal to commit an insane man to prison on a criminal conviction, and hold that when the Oregon authorities discovered their mistake in committing him to prison

JOHN L. DOAK, who is defending himself at a hearing to determine his sanity, is shown here discussing the situation with his mother, who is assisting him in his efforts to combat what he asserts is a scheme to prevent him from suing the State of Oregon.



## 'BOMB LETTERS' NOW PILING IN

Today saw the beginning of the letters that usually pile up in police headquarters after a large crime. "Inside dope" on the Greenwood bombing was furnished by seers, but readers, astrologers and others until Captain James T. Drew's offices had to order five waste paper baskets.

"Why do you allow the following murderers to live?" asked an anonymous letter of prominent Oaklanders.

"I can lay my hands on the murderer by mystic communication," a "spiritual medium" wrote. Captain Drew, fire says there'll be nothing mystic about it if he ever lays his hands on the culprits.

Edward McKenzie, a lunch wagon owner with a place at Twelfth and Webster streets, says that three men, one carrying a package, visited his place shortly before the explosion. He did not report it to the police, but others, to whom he told the story, informed Captain Drew of the matter. The shadowed Doak for three days at the instance of Claude Doak, another brother, and told of alleged abnormal conduct. He said that Doak was in a quarrelsome mood during the time and that he had several near fights with strangers on the street. He said Doak was drinking. Doak denies that he has taken a drink for the past seven years. Doak attacked the veracity of the witness and made him admit that he was discharged from the San Francisco police department. He characterized his testimony as "groggily" testimony and asked the jury not to believe it.

## MACHINISTS TURN DOWN PROPOSAL

The executive committees of the five San Francisco bay machinist unions yesterday in joint session turned down the proposal of the California Metal Trades Association, representing the employers, for recognition by the men of the 18-hour week at this time, contingent upon an agreement by shipyard and outside ship assignments to put the Saturday half-holiday in effect May 1.

E. W. Buckley of the Oakland Machinists' Union, stated today that the proposal of the Metal Trades Association was "too vague" and that the entire matter would probably be causing the machinists' joint executive board. This board is composed of representatives of the Oakland, Marysville, San Jose, Vallejo and San Francisco machinists' unions.

## NATION-WIDE LIVING COST PROBE PLAN

BERKELEY, March 20.—That a nation-wide campaign will be carried out by the United States department of agriculture to get to the roots of the high cost of living problem was the declaration today of Professor R. L. Adams, member of the faculty of the department of agriculture at the University of California. He was just returned from three months spent in Washington, D. C., as acting head of the office of farm management.

"Through this investigation we intend to know just exactly how much it costs to produce a bushel of wheat, to turn out a pound of butter, and to provide a dozen eggs for market," he declared. "These are so-called investigations into the high cost of living can't tell us anything more than they are mere surface examinations of the problem. Whether we will do anything material to solve the problem we do not know. At least we will show the housewife and her husband why they are paying certain prices, and if there is extravagance and waste in methods of production it can be ascertained."

Present investigations of high prices Professor Adams states are conducted entirely in the interests of consumer with no thought to the producer. "The only way in which to get at a true basis of prices is to know first just exactly what it costs to produce certain articles," he says.

The investigation as proposed by the government will cover a year's time. The least, Professor Adams says, in order that a true understanding of conditions may be reached.

In leaving Washington to return to Berkeley as assistant professor in the department of agronomy at the University of California, Professor Adams gave up his post of acting chief of the office of farm management, although offered the post permanently.

After thirteen years in California it would be pretty hard to be forced to stay in the east, he says.

In working with the government, Professor Adams states, was along three lines, namely: reorganizing the Federal office of farm management; planning an investigation of crop production, and planning closer co-operation of the State and Federal departments of agriculture.

## Accused of Beating Daughter to Death

JAMESTOWN, N. D., March 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Dan McDowell of Courtney are in jail here today on a charge of causing the death of their 13-year-old daughter. They are alleged to have beaten the child until she died.

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# FARMERS GET BIG SUMS FROM LOAN BANKS

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Loans totaling approximately \$14,759,800 to 420,000 farmers throughout the United States by the federal land banks on long-term first mortgages in February, according to a monthly statement of the farming loan administration, are as follows:

The federal land bank of Omaha, Neb., led in amount of loans closed since January 1, 1935, with \$2,745,000, or 18.6 per cent of the total; Houston, Tex., \$1,863,213; St. Paul, \$1,506,000; Spokane, Wash., \$1,400,000; Chicago, \$1,375,000; Minneapolis, \$1,300,000; Berkeley, Cal., \$1,473,500.

The total amount of loans closed since January 1, 1935, by the federal land banks was \$132,387,464 on March 1, distributed among 75,384 borrowers. Altogether \$1,400,000 was applied for loans aggregating \$14,455,362.

## Local Produce

hard dropped, singly to price today. Known hard dropped, cents a box. Vegetable receipts are increasing. Dried beans are still scarce on the market. Apple sales are about normal, but oranges are moving slowly. Potatoes find ready buyers and dried onions are selling readily, notwithstanding the fact that there are commanding \$1.50 a hundred. Green onions are becoming more plentiful. Green beans, grown in this vicinity are expected to reach the market in a few days.

Citrus fruit—Oranges: Yancy, \$1.50@2.00, according to size; choice, \$3.75@4.25, according to size.

Lemons—Sunkist, \$4@4.50; others, \$3.50@4.00, according to quality.

Mexican limes—\$3 a case.

Lemonettes—\$2.50@3, according to quality.

Grapefruit—Dunkley, \$2.10@3; choice, \$2.20@2.50 a box.  
 Apples—Yellow, Newtown Pippins, 3¼@4½ per. 3½@2.50; 5.50; 4¼ tier, \$3.25@3.50 a box.  
 Pears—Winter Nelis, \$2.62@2.5 a box; Gloutin mercant, \$2.62@2.5 a lug.  
 Tropical fruits—Central American and Honolulu bananas, 7¢@1¢ per lb; red bananas, 9¢ per lb; coconuts, nominal; pineapples, nominal.  
 Mushrooms—WMB, 40¢@75¢ a box.  
 Raw potatoes—Shirley, Red Rags, \$2.25@2.40 per cwt; Nevada, \$2.25@2.50; Early Rose seed potatoes, \$2.60@3 per cwt.  
 Sweet potatoes—\$3.85@4¼ per cwt.  
 Onions—Rivers, \$4.25@4.50 per cwt; Oregon, \$4.65@5.  
 New garlic—40¢@60¢.

Cucumbers—Santa Cruz greenhouse, \$4.00  
per box.  
Tomatoes—Mexican, \$2.75@3 a box.  
Celery—Goc@ \$1 per bunch, \$8@10 a crate.  
Asparagus—San Leandro, 14c a lb; Sacra-  
mento Valley, 15@16c a lb; Bay Farm Island,  
15@17 1/2c a lb.

Spinach—\$1.25@1.50 a crate.  
Sprouts—10¢@12¢; cabbage sprouts, 3¢@4¢ lb.  
Artichokes—50¢@51¢ a dozen.  
Dried beans—Pinks, 6¢@6½¢; large white

7@7 1/2c a lb.  
 Honey-California comb. \$6.75 a case,  
 Prunes-Santa Clara, 9@10c a lb.  
 Cabbage-75c@ \$1 a dozen; 2@3c a lb.  
 Cauliflower-90c@ \$1 a dozen.  
 Carrots-\$3@2.50 a sack; 40@45c a dozen.  
 Turnips-\$1.75@2 per sack; 30@40c per doz

Radishes—15¢ a dozen.  
Bell peppers—Southern, 25¢ a lb.  
Green peas—Southern, 12½¢ a lb.  
Green onions—San Leandro, 30¢ a dozen  
\$2.25 a box.  
Poultry—Hens, light, 41¢ a lb.; medium, 38¢  
a lb.; heavy, 37¢ a lb.; broilers, 14 lbs and less

50¢@35¢; medium fryers, 45¢@60¢; young roost  
over 3 lbs, 35¢@40¢; staggys roosters, 32¢@34¢  
34¢; old roosters, 24¢@25¢.

Ducks—(White) fat, 32¢@35¢; geese, fat, 30¢  
@32¢; live turkeys, No. 1 young, 35¢@36¢;  
dressed turkeys, No. 1, 42¢@44¢ a lb; jackrab-  
bits, \$1.25¢@1.50 a dozen.

Belgian hares—17@19c a lb.

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**BUTTER-EGGS  
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Prices quoted below are selling prices from the jobber to the retailer, established daily for butter, eggs and cheese, by the San Francisco Wholesale Dairy Produce Exchange:

Solid cubes .....	57c	60½c	61½c
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Eggs, per dozen— Mar. 17	Mar. 18	Mar. 19	
Fresh extra .....	42½c	43c	42½c
First .....	"	"	"

Fresh extra pullets ..... 41c 41½c 40½c  
Cheese—New California flats, per lb. old  
style, 31½c; do. firsts. —: new Oregon  
Triplets, fancy, 38½c; Oregon Young Amer-  
icans, 43c.

### Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, March 20.—Greatly increased shipments from Argentina, together with larger rural offerings had a decided effect on the local market today.

Opening prices, which ranged from the same as yesterday's finish to 1c lower, with May \$1.12½-@1.43, and July \$1.34½-@1.34½, were followed by material set-backs all around, although transient rallies intervened.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, \$1.52@1.55; No. 4 yellow, \$1.48@1.50; No. 5 yellow, \$1.45@1.46½.  
Rye—No. 2, \$1.64@1.64½. Barley, 95c @ \$1.04. Timothy, \$7.00@10.00. Clover, nominal.  
Oats followed corn but showed more

resistance to pressure. After opening unchanged to  $\frac{1}{2}$ c off, with May 63  $63\frac{1}{2}$ c, the market underwent a moderate further sag.

Provisions weakened with corn. Support was lacking.

The close:  
Corn—May, \$1.43½; July, \$1.35½.

Oats—May, 65 $\frac{1}{2}$ c; July, 64 $\frac{1}{2}$ c.  
Pork—May, \$45.35; July, \$42.40.  
Lard—May, \$28.10; July, \$27.50.  
Ribs—May, \$25.15; July, \$24.00.

## Boilermakers May Bar Alien Members

United States citizenship is to be a necessary qualification for membership

in the Oakland Boilermakers' Union if contemplated changes in the constitution and by-laws of the organization are authorized at the meeting next Wednesday night. It is also proposed to assess the working members of the

assess the working members of the union to care for the members who are out of work by reason of their stand on the 44-48 hour week controversy. Resolutions covering these points were presented at the meeting of the union

last night and will come up for discussion and vote at the next regular meeting. Another proposed change in the regulations to come up at that time provides for a reduction of dues for regular attendance at the meetings.

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**WANT** to buy or lease store for groceries. Living apt. Box 5139, Tribune.

**WANTED** to get estimates on cost of manufacturing, patented farm implement. Box 2009, Tribune.

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CHINATOWN IS  
CLOSED UNTIL  
TONG WAR ENDS

With a cordon of police under the direction of Captain of Police Frank Lynch thrown around Chinatown, the police today, with the ending of the Chinese tong war, closed Chinatown, every Chinese gambling house and practically suspended all business in the Chinese district, by orders of Chief of Police Henry Noddeman.

This will continue until assurance is given the Oakland chief that no matter what events the tong war may take in other cities, there will be no shooting in Oakland.

"I will make Oakland a neutral zone in this tong war or I will keep Chinatown so tightly closed that they'll have to beg for mercy," announced the chief today. "Any Chinese found carrying a gun will be thrown into jail and any trouble will mean a round-up of all tong leaders. Oakland is going to stand for no foolishness and from today on the Chinese will lose thousands of dollars through their district being closed, until they come into this office and tell me Oakland is recognized by all sides as a neutral zone."

Noddeman's order came today with the expiration of the armistice between the Suey Sing and Hap Sun tongs, the outgrowth of a fuel war in San Francisco. Police this morning reported suspicious Chinese loitering in doorways, and Noddeman ordered the "lid treatment."

Chinese gambling houses have been allowed to operate by the police in the past where only Chinese played, and practically every Chinese store has a back room where fun-an is a lure. Every one of these stores is closed to any business whatever by Noddeman's order. This means a loss of thousands of dollars a day to the Chinese leaders in Oakland.

**Clothing Workers to End Their Strike**

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 20.—Officials of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America announced today that cost of the Cleveland clothing firms have signed agreements and the 4000 striking workers were returning to their jobs.

**Keep Up**

The good cheer when anyone's near—no matter how different you feel—do not let them suspect it—keep happy to prove it. 80¢ order. National Ice Cream with each meal.

Tribune's 50,000 Club Will  
Entertain Its Carrier Boys

Left to right, BERNICE JAHNICAN, MARGARET HEENAN and FLORIE MAY TYRELL, three clever little Berkeley girls, who will assist in entertaining THE TRIBUNE carriers and their friends at a big show given by THE TRIBUNE'S 50,000 Club, Saturday morning, March 22, at Chabot Hall, Eleventh and Grove streets.

The TRIBUNE'S 50,000 Club, which has been organized for the purpose of providing good, clean amusements and entertainments for its carrier boys and their friends, has arranged for a show to be given Saturday morning, March 22. The entertainment will be held at Chabot Hall, Eleventh and Grove streets, opposite the Oakland high school, and will commence at 9:45 sharp. Parents and friends are welcome.

Following in giving pleasure to as many as possible, The Oakland TRIBUNE club is inviting to every carrier to bring his parents and all his little friends. They are welcome to attend, as are all members of the 50,000 Club, and any boy who is a carrier for any other paper. He alone the program will be the Oakland elementary school band, under the personal direction of Glenn Wood. This band, which is considered to be one of the best of its kind on the Pacific coast, will provide a splendid musical program for the boys and their friends. Next will be Baby Betty Jane Teepie, Oakland's talented child actress, in clever recitations and impersonations of her own. This is the same little girl who made such a decided hit at the T. & D. theater a few weeks ago.

Then there is clever little Malcolm MacIntyre in Harry Lawler's song hit, "I'd Love to Be a Sailor Man." He was one of the big hits at The TRIBUNE'S Christmas tree celebration at this same hall and promises to be better still this time. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hughes, organizers of the Safety First League who have provided many excellent entertainments for boys and girls all over the United States, will add a great deal to the show by presenting their clever impersonations of a cowboy and a Chinaman.

After them will come Florie May Tyrell, Margaret Heenan and Bernice Jahnican, the clever little Berkeley girls, who will render the latest songs and dances. They will appear all dressed alike in pink, and as they are of exactly the same size they are sure to make a hit with the boys. Also Florie May Tyrell in a surprise act will catch the eyes of the audience, as she promises something that will appeal to the boys immensely.

Altogether a time, lively, jazz show has been arranged and no boy or his friends can afford to miss it. All you have to do is to present yourself at the doors of the hall Saturday morning, March 22, by 9:15 sharp. Come rain or shine and enjoy yourself.

DIVORCE SUIT  
IS CHECKED BY  
'FOOLISH' POEM

If Mrs. Anna C. Baker, wife of Walter R. Baker, president of the M. C. Baker & Son Electrical Supply House, had not been mending her husband's trousers she would never have found the poem, "Life's Dream," secreted in his pocket, written by himself and signed Krazy Katt.

Had Baker not fallen a victim to his own poetic muse he would not have been obliged yesterday to endeavor to prove in the Superior Court of San Francisco before Judge Thomas P. Graham that he had indulged in a poet's license, and that the verse was inspired by his wife. However, Judge Graham suggested that Baker might find better evidence than he presented if he hoped for a decree of divorce and continued the case until tomorrow.

Baker is suing Mrs. Baker for a divorce, from whom he alleges he separated in August, 1914, charging his wife with threats to kill him and with infidelity. Mrs. Baker has answered with a cross-complaint naming Miss Jennie Wedlake of San Jose as a young woman whom her husband desired to marry and accusing her husband of an attempt to blacken his wife's character. She asks \$250 a month separate maintenance.

She offers photographs of her husband and Miss Wedlake, also the poem and letters as evidence. Baker in court yesterday blushed and turned pale by turns.

## POEM "RATHER FOOLISH"

The poem which inaugurated the marital difficulties in 1914 and which Baker was eager to declare was like all poetry, "rather foolish," read in part.

"We live in hope,  
That some day, presto, we elope.  
And our dreams come true in life."

"Love in a cottage and a pretty wife,"  
"I meant it for my wife," asserted Baker in court, in answer to the question if he really desired Mrs. Baker to leave with him. "All poetry is foolish," he gave verdict in explanation of its license.

Mrs. Baker "nagged" their household utensils at him and read "poems" found in his pockets, which she kept as evidence and she drank, according to the tale of Baker.

USED "STRONG" LANGUAGE.

That Baker furnished an apartment for Miss Wedlake and invited his wife to inspect it that his good taste in household furnishing might be proved; that he tormented her by rhapsodizing over the beauty of Miss Wedlake, and that he has attempted to blacken his wife's character, are the counter charges of Mrs. Baker. She admits she used "strong language" when phrases of Miss Wedlake's beauty were sung.

Mrs. Baker was never seen by him intoxicated, but Baker had held other women on his lap was the testimony which the couple's 17-year-old son, Wesley Baker, offered.

He has not made his home with either of his parents in four years. Mrs. Mary Klink, sister of Mrs. Baker, declared that Baker had once told her "every man should have an affair." She denied that her sister drank. Mrs. Klink told how her sister had boarded children and earned money for her support and how she devoted herself to Red Cross service.

A series of love letters said to have been written by Miss Wedlake to Baker were introduced.

Miss Wedlake denies that there was more than good friendship between herself and Baker. She said to be a telephone operator in San Jose.

## Scheidemann's Job Declared Insecure

STOCKHOLM, March 20.—A cabinet crisis is pending in Berlin, according to reports received here today. Chancellor Scheidemann's position is said to be insecure.

Colored Heroes Arrive at Presidio  
Everyone of 47 Has War Cross  
'Crown Prince's Sword' Is Trophy

Every one of them wearing the French Croix de Guerre, forty-seven colored troops, members of the first battalion of the 367th infantry, 92d division, arrived in Oakland yesterday afternoon en route to the demobilization camp at the Presidio. They will be guests of honor at a reception tonight in the San Francisco exposition auditorium.

In addition to the Croix de Guerre, which was worn by every member of this remarkable contingent, many of the fighters wore additional citations. The troops which arrived here yesterday saw service in the Le Gorge de Mort (The Valley of Death), at Meuse, the Vosges, the Arsonne, the Champagne and Vaudiers.

HAS CROWN PRINCE'S SWORD.

What is believed to be the sword of the former crown prince of Germany is proudly carried by one of the men. It has a solid gold handle and a keen silver blade. In the old style Teutonic script is inscribed, "Wilhelm II." Another of the men brings a similarly inscribed gold belt buckle. These were picked up at Vaudiers in a house which is believed was the crown prince's headquarters prior to the signing of the armistice.

Officers in command of the detachment were Captain Thomas F. Farnes, First Lieutenant William W. Robinson, Aurelius P. Alberger and Abraham Morse, Second Lieutenant John J. White and Charles Jefferson. Lieutenants White and Charles Jefferson were picked up at Vaudiers in a house which is believed was the crown prince's headquarters prior to the signing of the armistice.

Other veterans arrive. Sergeant Paul Griffith of Bakersfield, the third from the last man to leave the sinking Tuscania, and Sergeant W. H. Irvine of the 72d aero squadron in France. During that time he did not see an American airplane.

The remainder of the thirty-nine men were the 62d infantry, trained at Camp Fremont and stationed at Camp Lee until the signing of the armistice. Local men who returned are:

William Higgins, 62d infantry, Oakland.

Pan Malloy, 62d infantry, 1052 Twenty-first street, Oakland.

Charles Bettencourt, 102d aero replacement squadron, San Francisco.

H. V. DeLaughter, 62d infantry, 227 Brunswick street, San Francisco.

Conrad John A. Pedev, 62d infantry, San Francisco.

Alvin McDonald, 458th aero squadron, 1515 Bush street, San Francisco.

Sergeant H. C. Fisher, 56th infantry, San Francisco.

Ernest Lee, Oakland, 1103d aero replacement squadron.

Two hundred and twenty-eight Californians of the 49th division arrived in New York last night, were twenty-five Californians of the "treat-em-rough" tank corps. Detachments of the 394th and 395th tank corps brigades and the complete 39th brigade were about the harbor.

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On revelations that may be made by the contents of the trunk of Miss Inez Elizabeth Reed, the Army nurse who died as a result of a criminal operation, depends virtually the last hope that the person or persons responsible for her death may be brought to justice. Such is the conclusion of the civil and Army investigators who have been working exclusively on the case since the body of the nurse was found in a ravine on the Crystal Springs road near San Mateo March 8.

The trunk is expected to reach the Presidio of San Francisco today, having been sent west by the Army authorities at Fort Riley, Kansas, where Miss Reed was stationed, and from where she came to Oakland to visit Mrs. Maude Frankfield. The Army authorities have said that they will turn over to the San Francisco police the contents of the trunk, which, it is believed will consist in part of letters that will give a clew to the identity of the man responsible for the condition of Miss Reed and from the consequences of which she hoped to escape by undergoing the operation that proved fatal.

Mrs. Frankfield was subjected to another cross-questioning yesterday, and as a result the police expressed the belief that she was not in the confidence of Miss Reed. Other possible clews have been abandoned by establishing that the only telephone call made by Miss Reed in Oakland was to her sister in San Francisco, determination that the automobile seen by four men on the Crystal Springs road had no connection with the crime, and establishment of the belief that the operation was not performed in San Mateo, but in San Francisco.

MAILS ARE NOW OPEN.

LOS ANGELES, March 20.—Mail will be received for Ekaterrubinsk, Tshelabinsk and Zhatoust, the post-office announced. But there was no rush around the stamp window.

St. Andrew's Parish  
to Hold Celebration

The annual Irish celebration in aid of St. Andrew's parish will be held this year on Friday evening, March 21, at Knights of Columbus hall, 630 Thirteenth street. A musical program has been arranged.

The oration will be delivered by Rev. Miles Altman of St. Joseph's church, Berkeley, who will discuss "Ireland of Today, Her Hopes and Aspirations."

After the oration, the Irish songs will be sung by the choir of the parish. The celebration will close with a social hour.

Admission free. Tickets for the oration, 50¢. Tickets for the social hour, 25¢. Tickets for the oration and social hour, 75¢.

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**A SPLENDID TOILET WATER**

If you appreciate a good toilet water, you will suggest to your friends, Vergo Violet.

**ANOTHER GOOD SPRING TONIC**

If you are in need of a good spring tonic, you would suggest that you get Bowman's Sarsaparilla. This is a well-known and old-fashioned tonic and blood purifier which combines the features of the best Honduras Sarsaparilla with other vegetable compounds and ingredients.

**GET YOURSELF A GOOD TOOTH BRUSH—50c**

There is the biggest difference imaginable in tooth brushes. A good tooth brush is made of bristles that do not break or flatten. Most tooth brushes are imported and the best brush that we know of is called the "Lester" brush, which is made in France and which sells for 50c. This brush is said by dentists to be the best brush for the teeth and it is the best brush that we have ever used. It is made of the finest quality and arranged that they reach into the depressions of the teeth and force out all matter that would otherwise decay and cause trouble.

**NEW EASTER HAMB BAGS ARE ARRIVING**

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